

NAVY TO SLASH OPERATING FLEET

Murray Hints Strike Move

Lewis Threatens To Call Out Rest Of Union Miners

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 30 (AP)—A hint of some new development in the stalemated month-long steel walkout came tonight from United Steelworker President Philip Murray.

Murray, in Cleveland for the convention of the CIO which he also heads, called a press conference there for tomorrow afternoon.

He did not indicate what might be disclosed but one steelworker official said it would be "of rather great importance."

There was some speculation the conference might deal with a proposed move to recall the presidential steel fact-finding board.

The proposal was made by President William Colvin, Jr., of Crucible Steel Company in Pittsburgh. He directed his request to United States Mediation Director Cyrus S. Ching who said he passed it along to Murray.

Lewis Makes Threat

But Murray said today he still has received no word from Ching on the subject.

The nation, already reeling from the effects of the twin strikes in coal and steel, is threatened with another body blow from United Mine Workers Chief John L. Lewis.

With the strike of 380,000 UMW soft coal diggers going into its seventh week, Lewis threatens to extend the walkout to the 100,000 union members still working.

The colorful miners' chief said the working diggers, about one-fifth of the union membership, might be "called into action at any time" to help win the current mine strike.

UMW members now at work are employed in the bituminous fields west of the Mississippi, in all the anthracite (hard coal) areas and in Canada.

Unemployment Passes Million
Lewis issued his threat last night at a dinner in Scranton, Pa., honoring the late John Mitchell, an early president of the UMW.

In the meantime, the month-old strike of 500,000 CIO United Steelworker members dragged along.

Unemployment soared past the million mark. Relief roles mounted.

Scenes in many steel and coal centers were reminiscent of the deepest days of the depression.

At Morgantown, W. Va., United Mine Worker funds were being used for the relief of needy miners.

Clairton, Pa., a usually humming steel center of 21,000, called a special meeting of City Council tomorrow night to set up an emergency welfare fund for the striking steel workers.

Health Plan Sponsor Says Delay Necessary

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—Sen. Humphrey (D-Minn.), a sponsor of President Truman's national health insurance program, said tonight that Congress must defer action on it pending further study and until enactment of related health measures.

The Minnesota lawmaker said he always has believed in the social security principle of the proposed insurance program. But he added that until the "practical difficulties" of administering the hotly disputed plan have been met, "legislative action might well be a disservice to the principle in which we believe."

Switchboard Operator Admits Killing Furrier

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30 (AP)—Patsy Rogers, 25, switchboard operator, was booked today on suspicion of murder in the slaying yesterday of Furrier Harry Lapides, 71.

Det. C. C. Forbes quoted her as saying in a signed statement that she emptied an automatic into Lapides' body because he "wanted some loving."

She said she had known the furrier a year and a half, Forbes said, and that he had been trying to sell her a coat.

"When I went to the shop he said he wanted some loving," she was quoted by Forbes. "I told him, 'All right, I'll give you some loving,' and I pulled out the gun and shot him."

Shovel Is Dynamited At Non-Union Mine

CLARION, Pa., Oct. 29 (AP)—A steam shovel was dynamited tonight at the non-union Mack Coal Company strip mine at nearby Rifenburg.

Sheriff Arthur Hanold said the dynamiting apparently was done by someone familiar with the mine's operation. He estimated damage at \$10,000.

Tobin Puts Blame For Steel Walkout On Steel Industry

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Maurice Tobin tonight blamed the steel strike on the steel industry. He said it should accept the settlement proposed by a presidential board, as the CIO steelworkers union has done.

Herman Steinkraus, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, took issue with Tobin in an NBC radio and television debate. Steinkraus proposed, instead, that the striking union end its walkout and negotiate pension-insurance differences with the steel industry under government auspices.

Philip Murray Turns Deaf Ear On UE Proposal

Declares Convention To Get Policy Issue

CLEVELAND, Oct. 30 (AP)—CIO President Philip Murray today turned a deaf ear on a new United Electrical Workers' peace proposal aimed at avoiding a left-right split at the CIO convention beginning tomorrow.

The UE, biggest and most influential of the dozen left-wing unions facing ouster at the convention, offered a much softer program for cooperating with the CIO than the six-point "ultimatum" handed to Murray a month ago.

The UE leadership offered not only an agreement between the United Electrical Workers and the CIO but between the UE and Murray's United Steelworkers and Walter Reuther's United Auto Workers.

The chief issue involved in the agreements was to cut out raiding of UE ranks by right-wing units of the CIO, and especially by the auto workers and the steelworkers.

Murray refused to yield to the last-minute blandishments. On previous occasions when the right-wing majority wanted to remove left-wing unions Murray softened and confined the action to tough talking on the convention floor.

Murray told the UE representatives, headed by President Albert J. Fitzgerald, Secretary Julius Emspak and Organization Director James J. Matles, that convention committees already were working out the policy dispute which led to threatened ouster of UE and 11 other left-wing dominated unions.

Red "Sabotage" Blasted
The earlier ultimatum had made a point of refusing to continue per capita payments to the CIO unless Murray met six conditions including ouster of any CIO officers helping to raid UE.

A major point in that ultimatum was directed at youthful James B. Carey, secretary-treasurer of the CIO and a former president of UE, leader of rightist forces which have attempted to withdraw the Fitzgerald-Emspak-Matles administration.

The CIO president met with the UE leaders at their request. About the same time he made public his formal convention report blasting what he termed Communist "sabotage" of official CIO policy.

Actress' Fiance Dies

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30 (AP)—Dr. John L. Duzik, 32, fiance of actress June Haver, died in a Santa Monica hospital today following an operation. Miss Haver was at his bedside.

Religion Cannot Be Taken For Granted, Truman Says

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—President Truman urged every American tonight to take an active part in the religious life of his community and give generous support to religious institutions.

He said every problem in the world today could be solved "if men would only live by the principles of the ancient prophets and the Sermon on the Mount."

But Mr. Truman added that religion is like freedom—"we cannot take it for granted."

"Man—to be free—must work at it," he declared in a broadcast from



Elevator Rider Loses Arm

Michael Johnson, 63, Portland, Me., upholsterer, was trapped for four hours when his arm was jammed between an elevator and the wall. Johnson calmly awaits rescue not realizing that his right arm had been severed at the shoulder. He said he only felt numbness. Pressure of the car and wall kept Johnson from bleeding to death.

Truman Speech May Shed Light On Party 'Drive'

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—President Truman may cast a little more light this week on a campaign he and some of his supporters seem to have under way in an effort to revamp the Democratic Party.

At St. Paul Thursday, Mr. Truman will have an opportunity to make a political speech unfettered by cornerstone layings and other trappings. The occasion will be "Truman Day" at the Minnesota Centennial Exposition.

His aides will be surprised if the President doesn't use it to outline again in some detail the program which his Republican opponents say would lead to a welfare state.

It remains to be seen whether Mr. Truman will take up publicly this far in advance of the 1950 congressional elections the party responsibility theme that some of his subordinates have been shouting about recently.

William Boyle, Jr., the Democratic national chairman who takes his orders from the President, has been beating the tub for months about the necessity of electing senators and congressmen next year who can be counted on to carry water for the President's program.

Boyle hasn't said that he is opposed to the election of Democrats who don't subscribe to the President's philosophy of government, but the inference is there unmistakably.

Memorial Services Honor Smog Victims
DONORA, Pa., Oct. 30 (AP)—More than 500 residents of the Monongahela River valley gathered today at memorial services to honor the 20 who died in the Donora smog just one year ago.

Across the river in the twin community of Webster, residents dedicated a plaque to perpetuate the memory of the tragedy. Nearly 6,000 were made ill when a mixture of smoke, fog, and industrial fumes filled the valley for four days.

28 Forced To Flee Hotel Annex Fire

MARSHALL, Tex., Oct. 30 (AP)—Fire in the top floor of a four-story hotel annex early today chased 28 guests to the street in their night clothes.

Smoke overcame an elderly guest, but a policeman tied a rope around him and lowered him down a fire escape.

Two firemen suffered minor injuries. The blaze broke out in the annex of Hotel Marshall. The adjoining seven-story hotel was not damaged.

Girl Who Ate Her Lucky Ticket Will Get Bike After All

SILVER SPRING, Md., Oct. 30 (AP)—That little girl who chewed up her lucky ticket is going to get a bicycle after all.

Nine-year-old Betty Pope was excitedly waiting for a bicycle to be given away at a Silver Spring theater.

When the winning number was called, it was hers.

But to her dismay, she realized she had eaten the ticket along with her popcorn. The bicycle went to someone else.

News of Betty's misfortune spread around the country.

Charles H. Barton, Ossining, N. Y., an official of a bicycle company, wired Betty's father today that she will have a new bike sent her in a few days.

Nehru May Be "Missing Boat"

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30 (AP)—Is Nehru "missing the boat" on his good will tour of the United States? Press and public reaction indicates that while Washington may have a clear picture of what the Prime Minister of India really wants, the people of America do not.

They want to know, and they want to know how much it will cost.

This is the 20th day of Jawaharlal Nehru's tour. He has made many speeches in cultured English that seem to have been over the heads of both press and public.

Even reporters who have followed him across the country, and have heard his speeches, have had to dig deeply to come up with these conclusions:

Nehru hopes the United States will help India build her military and naval strength.

He wants America to back India in defending her good name as a non-belligerent in United Nations discussions of the issue of Kashmir, the Moslem state between his India and Moslem Pakistan.

He already has said that he wants 1,000,000 extra tons of wheat for his hungry people, and would welcome help in industrializing India.

Break For Strikers

BALTIMORE, Oct. 30 (AP)—A restaurant patronized by Baltimore steelworkers has cut its prices 40 per cent for the duration of the strike.

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Barkley And Widow He Has Been Courting Since Last Summer To Marry Nov. 18

Wedding Will Take Place In St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30 (AP)—Vice President Alben W. Barkley is going to marry Mrs. Carleton S. Hadley, the lovely St. Louis widow he has been courting since last summer.

She announced it tonight, as he stood beside her with a smile befitting a man much younger than his 71 years. She is 37.

They are to be married November 18 in a simple ceremony here in St. Louis. Detailed plans are yet to be made.

Friends of Mrs. Hadley called reporters and photographers to her apartment only a hour before they were ready to make the announcement. The announcement was held up while the Vice President telephoned President Truman and members of his own family and Mrs. Hadley's.

Informal Occasion

The occasion was entirely informal and only a half dozen St. Louis friends of the couple were on hand. Reporters and photographers practically filled the living room of Mrs. Hadley's medium-sized apartment.

The reporters and photographers were waiting for the word when Mr. Barkley spoke up and said: "The Vice President yields to the Senator, shall we say, from Missouri."

Mrs. Hadley with sparkling eyes said simply: "The Vice President and I are going to be married on the 18th of November. The plans will be announced later."

"He said at various times he didn't know whether he would 'make the grade' but that he enjoyed such widespread support. The Vice President has been dropping in at St. Louis at practically every opportunity since Mrs. Hadley turned up in Washington last June and was introduced to him. Their latest 'date' was last night when they attended a concert by Miss Margaret Truman and the St. Louis Symphony orchestra."

Widow Of Rail Official
She is the widow of the former general counsel of the Wabash Railroad, who died in 1945. She has two daughters, Anne, 17, a college student in New Orleans, and Jane, 14, who lives at home and attends high school here.

Mrs. Hadley is employed as a secretary in the offices of the Wabash here.

Barkley's first wife, Dorothy Brower Barkley, whom he married in 1903, died in 1947. Since then his married daughter, Mrs. Max Truitt, has served as his official hostess.

Four Lose Lives In Blinding Fogs

CHICAGO, Oct. 30 (AP)—Blinding fogs in New York and New England resulted in four deaths over the weekend and today large areas of the nation had snow and rain.

One of the worst fogs in years was reported in Maine with air, bus, and auto travel at a virtual standstill along a broad strip of the state's rocky coastline. Planes were grounded for 13 hours at Portland.

A head-on car crash killed a woman and a boy at Vassalboro. The forecast was for "more fog."

An all-day fog in New York's South Hudson Valley caused two highway fatalities. A woman was killed Saturday night near Richfield Springs when her car left the road and a youth was killed today near New City in a similar mishap.

Snowy weather extended over parts of Colorado, Wyoming, North Dakota, and Minnesota.

Quake Is Recorded

CLEVELAND, Oct. 30 (AP)—Rev. Henry P. Birkenhauer reported tonight the John Carroll University seismograph recorded a "strong shock" at a distance of about 2,500 miles from Cleveland. He said it was probably southwest of here, which would place it on the west coast of Mexico.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 30 (AP)—Its operations crippled by the coal strike and operating costs increased by the new five day weeks for its employees, the Pennsylvania Railroad's net income tumbled into the red for the first nine months of 1949, the nation's largest railroad reported today.

A year ago, the first nine months of the year gave PRR a net income of \$20,441,156. But from January to September this year PRR's net income slipped to a deficit of \$1,573,635.

PRR spokesmen blamed the coal strike, which began September 19, for a drop in revenues last month.

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U. N. Proceedings Will Be Televised

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 30 (AP)—Television is going to show United Nations proceedings to the world. East-West scrapping will give video fight fans something to look at in the daytime.

Assembly President Carlos P. Romulo announced today that starting Monday, November 7, the Ford Motor Company will sponsor a three-hour daily nationwide telecast of United Nations meetings. The programs will be filmed simultaneously to be shown in other countries.

At Least 17 Hurt When Streamline Train In Derailed

El Capitan's Diesel, 5 Cars Leave Tracks

AZUSA, Calif., Oct. 30 (AP)—An eastbound Santa Fe streamliner struck a broken rail at 60 miles an hour today, the locomotive overturning and catching fire after plowing up several hundred feet of track. At least 17 persons were hurt, none seriously.

Five cars of the all-chair El Capitan left the rails and wound up, zig-zagged and tilted along the right-of-way. Power and communication lines were ripped down by the cars and four-section Diesel locomotive.

"It was a terrifically sudden stop," said Herman Opitz, steward of a derailed diner. "There was an ungodly crunching and grinding and then nothing but quiet for a minute, it seemed."

Several late lunches were being served in the diner as it slithered off the tracks.

Passengers in the last six cars received a terrific jolt as their coaches remained on the tracks behind the break.

Flames in the locomotive were quickly quelled. Engineer Henry Mayer and Fireman L. L. Adams leaped from their cab. Adams suffered head cuts but Mayer was unhurt. Both crewmen are from San Bernardino, Calif. Mayer told newsmen he was traveling at 60 miles an hour and never saw the break. "You can feel them when you drop," he explained. "When I felt the locomotive drop, I slammed on the emergency brakes."

The injured were rushed to nearby Covina Hospital. Attendants said only one was in serious condition.

Several passengers were pulled through broken windows of the overturned cars. Thomas B. Hogan, Beverly Hills, Calif., told of treating three women for shock with snorts of whisky.

Three Deer Hunters Felled By Single Shot
MALONE, N. Y., Oct. 30 (AP)—Three deer hunters were felled by a single bullet a companion fired today.

State police said that Roland J. Allen, 28, of Malone, told them he aimed at what he thought was a deer.

The 30-30 caliber bullet struck Frank Todd, 39, in the left shoulder. Troopers said the soft-nosed bullet "splattered" and that fragments hit Todd's brother, Robert, 35, in the chin, and Andrew E. Fleury, 33, in the left shoulder.

The condition of all was reported by hospital attendants to be "good."

Pact Nations To Meet
WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—Eight European allies come here this week for talks which may clamp basic agreements around America's billion dollar arms aid program to insure the Atlantic area gets all the benefits.

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77 Ships To Be Retired From Active Service

31 Combat Vessels Will Be Sidelined Due To Fund Cuts

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—The Navy said tonight it is taking 77 ships out of active service—cutting the operating fleet by 31 warships in line with fund reductions.

The fleet by mid-1950 will be made up of 237 combat vessels instead of 268 it had September 1. Most of this cut will be in the Atlantic force.

The figures spelled out reductions announced earlier. But they wrote a graphic postscript to the furious debate on Capitol Hill which brought out complaints Navy fighting power was being hit too hard in the general economy program for all three services.

The fleet will be reduced by four aircraft carriers, plus the craft which support them.

The Navy announcement followed disclosure that Navy and Marine Corps manpower will be whittled 54,891 men by next July 1 to correspond with the reduction in ships.

The breakdown in Navy cutback orders was coincidental with the uproar over the dismissal of its top officer, Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, as its chief of staff.

Meantime, the possibility appeared that other naval officers who fought the unification practices may be in for trouble.

It was reliably reported that the Navy Inspector General's office had opened an investigation of "OP 23," a Navy term for Operations Division 23. This group has been called a strategy center for the campaign to effect changes in unification policies.

The Navy said the ship "moth-balling" program results from fund cuts "current and projected."

35 Ships To Be Laid Up
Thirty-five vessels, including five aircraft carriers and six cruisers, will be pulled out of the fleet and laid up. But this reduction will be offset, to some extent, by returning to service the carrier Bataan, the submarine Guavina, and commissioning two new submarines, the Grenadier and Grampus.

Two of the flattops are 27,000-ton Essex-class carriers, the others smaller.

The larger number of ships mothballed will come out of the Atlantic Fleet, a comparison of the announcement with other available information showed.

In addition to the warships, 42 other craft will be put into reserve or, in the case of a few small craft, transferred to naval districts for reserve training. The 42 include landing vessels, tankers, an attack transport, seaplane tenders and a hospital ship.

John L. Denies He's 'Dictator'

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 30 (AP)—John L. Lewis wants the world to know that he is not a dictator.

The bushy-browed United Mine Workers leader unloosed his oratorical ire last night on critics "who sometimes profess to believe that I am a capricious person and a dictator with unabsorbable power to make and unmake laws."

"I am no such dictator, have no such absolute power," he intoned. "I am simply speaking for the delegates and laws of the UMW which represent the best intelligence, maturest judgement, and honest purpose of the UMW in order to make the best possible contribution to our families, communities and country."

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Three Are Hurt When Car Fails To Round Curve

A Frostburg woman was badly injured and her husband and son slightly hurt late Saturday night when the car in which they were riding failed to round a curve and rolled over an embankment to the Western Maryland Railway tracks at Deal, Pa.

The woman, Mrs. Melvina Filer, 32, wife of William Filer, 35, 228 Centre Street, was admitted to

Miners Hospital, Frostburg, suffering from shock and a possible fracture of the right leg.

Filer, who was driving the car, was treated for a cerebral compression and multiple cuts and abrasions and his son, Michael, 8, for a possible broken jaw.

Mrs. Filer's condition was reported "fair" late yesterday.

Filer told hospital attendants that his brakes failed while driving on a foggy road near Deal and the machine failed to round a curve.

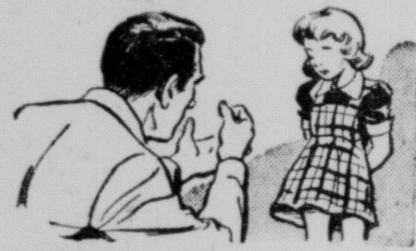
The trio was extricated from the badly wrecked car by Howard Christner, a Western Maryland telegraph operator stationed nearby who heard the noise of the overturning car. They were brought to Frostburg by William Drees, of Finzel, and Harold McKenzie, of Meyersdale, Pa., passing motorists.

MIRROR OF YOUR MIND



Is fear the cause of insomnia?

Answer: Yes, both indirectly, and often directly. Basically, inability to sleep is caused by neurotic anxiety which makes impossible the relaxation—involving an inner feeling of security—which you must have to sleep soundly. But the conscious and specific fear of what you think staying awake will do to you and how it will make you feel the next day may be what directly keeps you sleepless. The best way to learn to sleep is to realize that sleep is less important than your fears make you imagine. Even though you lie awake, you are still resting.



Should a child who says "I won't" be punished?

Answer: Not unless he carries his defiance into action, as he often won't if you do not take him too seriously. In most cases he is not expressing a real resolution; he is merely "registering" his dis-

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like of being given orders. But if you take his refusal as a challenge, he may feel that he must try to go through with it in order to "save face." Giving him a chance to back down gracefully is better than asserting your authority, since his will should be bent, not broken, and a direct clash between it and yours is always harmful.



Are actors "like other people"?

Answer: More so than some of them might like to admit, since the desire to be "different" and superior to other people is one of the motives for choosing the stage as a profession. But a test of 50 professional actors reported by U. S. Army vocational guidance expert Conrad Chyatte seemed to give ground for believing that the average thespian shows "unusual personality patterns." In popular language, he is more prone than most of us to live in a dream world, to be morbidly self-centered, and to be unrealistically optimistic.

Tall Cedars Installed At Armory

Two hundred and twenty-five Master Masons were installed into Algonquin Forest No. 150, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, at the group's institution Saturday night in the State Armory.

The charter Master Masons were from Cumberland, Frostburg, Lonaconing, Ridgeley, Hyndman, Bedford, Moorefield, Petersburg and Keyser. After reading applications of officers-elect of Algonquin Forest, the officers were escorted before Arthur E. Farmer, Trenton, N. J., supreme tall cedar, for obligation. Installation was conducted by Dr. R. William Senger, Baltimore.

William F. Schmidt, Staten Island, N. Y., senior deputy tall cedar, read the dispensation of officers duties. Those installed were George Sheldon Brown, grand tall cedar; Erich Scherach, senior deputy tall cedar; Neil Toey, junior deputy tall cedar; John Koontz, scribe; Marshall Alexander, treasurer, and Dr. Richard Williams, James Hatfield and Noel Speir Cook, trustees.

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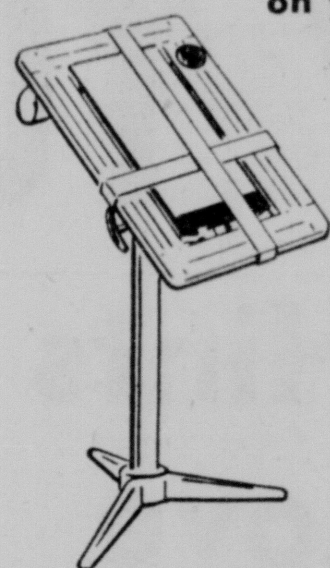
The opening prayer was given by Rev. Clyde Lynch, president of Lebanon Valley College, Pa., supreme forest chaplain. Approximately 800 Master Masons from four states and the supreme A candidates instruction period officers attended.

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Area Native Heads Music Educators

Mrs. Mary Malcolm Hunter, Westminster, member of the teaching staff at Peabody Conservatory of Music, and a native of Barton, has been elected president of the Music Educators' Association in Maryland. Elected district representatives for elementary schools are Aden Lewis, instrumental, and Miss Dorothy Willison, vocal, both of this city.

Miss Hersch Named To Dean's List

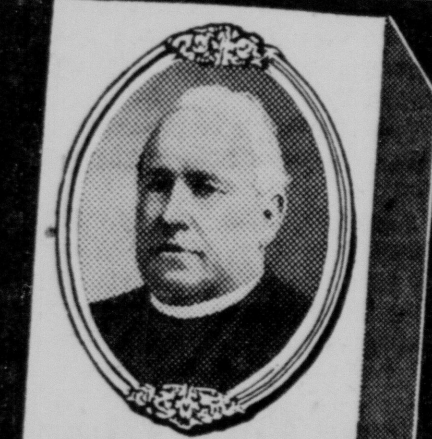
Helene Greta Hersch, daughter of Mrs. Harold M. Hersch, 102 Decatur Street, has been named to the Dean's List at Barnard College, in New York City, for high scholastic standing in the academic year 1948-49. The list is announced at the beginning of each winter semester in recognition of high standing for the previous year.

Miss Hersch is a member of the senior class at Barnard, and is a graduate of Allegany High School.

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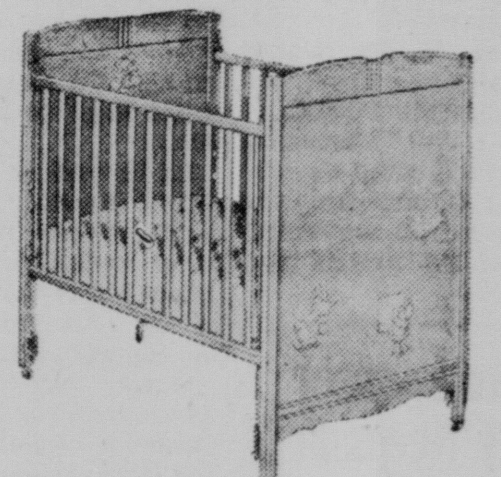
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Bus Line Sale To Be Decided This Morning

Judge Decatur H. Rogers of Berkeley County Circuit Court, Martinsburg, W. Va., will decide at 9 o'clock this morning whether or not an injunction preventing the public sale of Emery Motor Coach Lines, Inc. will be dissolved.

Wednesday, L. I. Rice and Edward W. Marsh, two of the three trustees for the Mellon National Bank and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, advertised the public auction of the line's 30 buses and one auto, claiming the owner, Robert L. Emery, Jr., defaulted on a note.

Fifteen minutes before the sale in front of the Berkeley County Court House Friday morning, Judge Rogers issued an injunction halting it.

The injunction was issued after a bill of complaint had been filed by Attorney Harry H. Byrre, Sr., on behalf of the bus line.

Rice and Marsh were named as defendants along with Attorney George M. Belzhoover, Jr., Charles Town. The third trustee, the bill of complaint alleged, did not know of the foreclosure action until Thursday morning.

Rice said over the weekend that Emery had been in default of payment of a \$127,000 note held by the bank.

If Judge Rogers rules that the injunction is dissolved the sale will be held at Berkeley County Court House, Martinsburg, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Rice stated that in event there are no suitable buyers for the three-state and District of Columbia carrier, the bank will continue operations.

The Cumberland Choral Society will open its tenth season with a concert November 17 in Keyser, W. Va.

William L. Leach, baritone, will be the soloist in two operatic arias and two groups of songs. Several choral numbers, including Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's "Messiah," will be given.

The same program will be presented the next night in Allegany High School here. Aden Lewis will accompany the 80-member vocal group.

Car Stolen

Police have received a report from Paul Martin Isner, 430 Central Avenue, that his 1937 black Ford tudor sedan was stolen from its parking place in front of Glenora Inn, Valley Road Saturday at 6:30 p. m.

Try And Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

When General Charles de Gaulle's star was in the ascendant in France, Andre Malraux, the famous author of Man's Fate, joined his party. A year ago it seemed inevitable that De Gaulle would soon rule all of France, and Malraux was jubilant. The Marshall Plan, however, seems to have put at least a temporary crimp in the De Gaulle boom. Malraux, impatient at the delay, is reported to have reminded his chief, "We espoused your cause to see you cross the Rubicon—not fish in it!"

In Chicago, a determined old dowager sallied into the Carson, Pirie, and Scott book department and demanded a complete set of Dickens and a complete set of Scott. "I don't care about the bindings and I don't care about the price; just find me the cheapest sets you can," she told the astonished clerk. "You see, I have to have them. I've left them to my grandchild in my will."

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Pitching horseshoes

by Billy Rose

Detective Story

A WEEK from today, New Yorkers will go to the polls to elect a mayor, and one of the issues will be the efficiency, or lack of same, of Mr. O'Dwyer's police department.

I, of course, don't want to get involved in this political rhubarb, but I can't go along with the talk-talk about the inefficiency of the average New York cop. In a thousand and one weeks on Broadway, I've gotten to know a lot of the badge-wearers and I can rattle off dozens of stories which prove that the phrase, "a bright policeman," is not necessarily a contradiction in terms.

As for instance, . . . On Election Night, 1947, I was standing at the corner of Broadway and 46th Street with a detective named Johnny Broderick, since retired. It was the "whitching hour"—the hour when everyone is wondering which movie to see or which saloon to get potted in.

As Broderick and I stood there casing the crowd, a couple came out of the Automat.

"How's for killing an hour in a newsreel first?" I heard the man say.

"I told Miriam we'd be early," said the girl.

"Early is when you get there."

"I promised Miriam we'd get there by 8:30. It's after 8 now."

"I suppose it ain't never been 8 before," said the man, sticking his palms out as if he were Jolson.

"Miriam's the best friend I got," said the girl, "and I ain't going to miss her birthday party for no lousy newsreel."

"Don't make no mountains," said the man. "I said I'd go, didn't I? We can get there an hour late and still be in time to blow out the candles."

"After those drinks you had at the Astor bar," said the girl, "I wouldn't go blowing any candles. The explosion'd break windows for miles."

"That wasn't milk of magnesia you was drinking," said the man. "For two cents I'd—"

Johnny Broderick stepped out of the crowd which had collected around the couple. "Beat it, Bud," he said to the man.

The man took a fast look at Johnny, heeled, and walked up Broadway. The girl hurried after him.

A bobbysover in the crowd laughed. "Guess she loves him after all," she said.

"Too bad I couldn't spot their hook man," said Broderick, "or I'd have run them in."

"Their what man?" I asked.

"Their hook man," said the detective. "Those two were pickpockets and their spiel was to hold the crowd while the hook man was going through their pockets. I tried to

spot him, but I couldn't. Maybe he spotted me first."

"How did you know the couple were crooks?" I said.

"The crack about the guy having a couple of drinks gave them away," said Broderick. "It isn't 8:30 yet, and on Election night, in case you've forgotten, you can't buy a drink in New York until after 9 p. m."

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Wright To Preside At Hospital Session

The Maryland-District of Columbia-Delaware Hospital Association will meet November 14 and 15 in Wilmington, Del., with Benjamin W. Wright, superintendent of Memorial Hospital and association president, presiding.

Gov. Carvel of Delaware will greet the representatives attending and Mayor James Hearn of Wilmington will deliver a welcoming address.

Personnel of hospitals in the three states will talk over mutual problems at the session.

Dr. A. R. Shands, director of the Alfred I. duPont Institute for Crippled Children in Wilmington and chairman for arrangements, announced that exhibits will constitute the largest display yet to accompany the annual meeting of the association.

There will be a two-day windup on November 18 and 19 on the Eastern Shore.

Commissioner Russell H. McClain, Frederick, will accompany the parties in the western counties.

Newsmen To See Progress Of State Roads

Progress made on Maryland's \$200,000,000 roads program will be demonstrated to state newspaper editors and radio newsmen in a series of tours conducted by the State Roads Commission.

Cumberland, Frostburg and Oakland newsmen and a few from Baltimore will attend the first tour Friday through Allegany and Garrett Counties. The trip will begin and end in Cumberland.

On Saturday, there will be a similar tour of Washington and Frederick counties, with representatives from Hancock, Brunswick, Boonesboro, Middletown, Emmitsburg, Thurmont, Frederick and Hagerstown.

Both of these groups will visit Sideling Hill mountain, Route 40, on the border between Washington and Allegany counties.

A tour of Baltimore, Harford and Carroll counties is planned November 7 for Baltimore area newsmen. Also planned are excursions through the four Southern Maryland counties.

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Baering Down On The News

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

The argument between the services sure took the closet skeletons for an airing. Never saw so many deep-water generals in my life nor so many land-locked admirals.

Looks like the Air Force, the Navy and the Army are going at it best two out of three. They may have to fight another world war just to keep their arguments up to date.

We hope we are not getting too informative when we say the biggest clinkers stay in the sieve. And on the next shake-down cruise of

Congress the boys had better invent a chain zipper.

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The Record Of The G. O. P. In The 81st Congress

Democratic leaders from President Truman down have been claiming, on flimsy grounds, all manner of success in the first session of the Eighty-first Congress. But the Republican record there has been more impressive—more important, too. In domestic affairs the real controlling power in the session just ended was the coalition of Republicans and Dixiecrats.

On practically all issues in the foreign field, Congress followed the bipartisan approach. Republicans supported extension of the Marshall Plan and ratification of the North Atlantic security treaty. Indeed, that treaty would not have had a chance of winning the necessary two-thirds majority in the Senate without the votes of 32 Republicans.

On extension of the reciprocal trade agreements, the G. O. P. was divided. Its opposition would have been solid, and probably effective, if Congress had known at the time that radical devaluation of the British pound would be followed by competitive devaluation of currencies in Europe.

On the domestic side, the chief Administration victory was a long-range public housing bill. That would not have been possible without Republican support. The Republicans also supported the 75-cent minimum wage. But against most of the "welfare state" program Republican opposition was effective. On issues like the proposed \$4,000,000,000 tax bill, the Republicans were joined by some northern as well as southern Democrats.

There have been two net results of the Republican voting record in the Eighty-first Congress to date: It has helped to strengthen Western democratic defense against the world menace of Russo-Communism. In domestic affairs, it has slowed down or halted the Truman Fair Deal, which aims at a state-managed economy in the United States and which, if enacted, would be the first step toward taking away the freedom of action of the American people.

Had the Republicans taken as firm and courageous a stand behind their party principles in the Summer and Fall of 1948, their man would now be sitting in the White House.

Anyhow, Two Strikes Have Come To An End

The nation's strike picture, dark though it is, has brightened just a little. Two big strikes, those of the longshoremen in the Hawaiian Islands and of the operating employees of the Missouri Pacific, have been settled. Both might be called lessons in futility in which no one won a great victory.

During the 176 days of the longshoremen's strike known losses to labor and management alike, and also to the economy of the nation and of the islands, amounted to \$100,000,000. The longshoremen, themselves, lost an estimated \$1,400 each in pay which will take them years to make up. Yet the settlement just reached was substantially the same as that proposed way back in June by an emergency board and which the union rejected.

On the Missouri Pacific the weekly cost of the stoppage was estimated at \$4,000,000,000 in business lost to the railroad and \$2,000,000 lost in wages to employees. This argument was over interpretation of operating rules. It could have been settled by negotiation. That is the way it is going to be settled, but only after tie-up of the railroad started on September 9.

These two strikes are an example of what so often happens when management or labor, or both, stop using their heads and become just plain stubborn. When a settlement comes at last a minor victory for one side or the other has been traded for a staggering loss.

The Family Table And Its Uninvited Guest

Estimating that the Federal government will spend \$42,000,000,000 in the current fiscal year, the family economics bureau of a great insurance company breaks down an astronomical figure into comparisons which the reader can grasp. That amount is \$700 per worker and \$1,050 per family; equal to the combined wages of a million industrial workers for fifteen years; 33 per cent greater than the total cash receipts for all the produce of the country's 6,000,000 farms in 1948; slightly more than our government spent in World War I.

In sum is this climatic statement: The government's estimated expenditures in the current fiscal year are "slightly more than it spent in the 142-year period from 1776 through the fiscal year of 1917-18, inclusive." For a second climatic statement we cite from another source the figures of the Institute of Life Insurance. Add to Federal expenditures in 1948 those of the states, counties and towns, for a total of \$51,900,000,000, and compare it with the total food expenditures in 1948 of \$2,900,000,000, and you find that the annual cost of government and the annual cost of food are now almost the same. Back in 1929, the cost of government was little more than half that of food.

For the ideology that has produced this situation, various terms are employed. It is called "social gains," "a spending economy," "deficit spending," the "welfare state"; all "weasel words," as Teddy Roosevelt would have said. It boils down to this: At every breakfast table, dinner table and supper table, sits a government outsider—not invited, but he gets about half of everything on the table.

"Fancy Dans"

What did Gen. Omar N. Bradley mean when he referred to naval critics of air defense policy as "Fancy Dans"? For the benefit of the less experienced readers, it should be explained that this term has been used for years in the sports world and does not have too happy a connotation.

Still it lacks the deprecatory character that it formerly possessed. In the old days it was the label put on an athlete who talked a better game than he played and tried to win favor with the spectators by making every play look difficult. If he was a baseball infielder or outfielder, for instance, he would start after the ball slowly so that he could stop it or catch it with one hand instead of two.

Latterly the Fancy Dans of baseball are generally those players who are graceful as well as efficient on the defense. They are smooth fliers but unfortunately they are seldom good batters.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases.

Relieving The Pain Of Pleurisy

PLEURISY IS A miserable ailment which usually makes its debut with severe pain on one side of the chest. The "stitch in the side" is aggravated by breathing, coughing and change in position. As a result the respirations become shallow and the sufferer prefers to lie quietly on the affected side to prevent undue motions of the chest. A dry hacking cough frequently accompanies pleurisy but, because it is so agonizing, the patient tends to suppress it.

By strapping the involved side of the chest, movements of the diaphragm and lungs are limited. This lessens soreness and allows the individual to be up and about in reasonable comfort. There is a trick to applying adhesive tape; unless the job is done properly, relief does not follow. Cough medicines keep "hacking" under control and codeine or salicylates help to deaden any remaining symptoms. The physician will request X-ray because pleurisy often is secondary to a lung disease.

Pleurisy is inflammation of the pleura and, to appreciate what is going on in the chest, a knowledge of anatomy is valuable. The lungs are separated from the chest wall by a closed space which is lined with a paper-thin membrane. One part of this structure actually incloses the lung; the other is adherent to the inside of the chest wall. The membranes are known as the "pleura" and the space between, as the "pleural sac." Were it not for these smooth and well lubricated coverings the lungs would rub against the bumpy ribs with each breath.

If a small section of the pleura is inflamed the membrane becomes swollen and rough. Respiration now is painful because the irritated parts scrape against each other and, with each breath, the "stitch" appears. Since movements of the lung are necessary to produce pain, immobilization of the affected side will give comfort. Any inflamed surface is likely to secrete fluid. When this occurs in the nasal passageways a discharge exudes from the nose. In like manner, when the pleural area is involved, fluid begins to accumulate in the pleural space. But relief follows because the watery secretion separates the two pleural membranes so that friction cannot take place.

The important consideration in pleurisy is the cause. After all, the pleural membranes are not in contact with the outer world and inflammation must travel from somewhere. If tuberculosis or pneumonia is the source, the disease spreads from its original site to the edge of the lung. Tumors, abscesses, or injuries such as knife wounds in the chest wall are other possibilities. In many instances, no origin can be found especially in the dry type of pleurisy. Many afflicted individuals have had a cold and the infection is disseminated thru the blood stream or lymph channels. In the type with no known cause, healing is prompt as a rule; within a week many are no worse for their experience.

Pleurodynia is a condition that often is mistaken for pleurisy. It is a virus disease, presumably of the diaphragm, and produces pain low in the chest. Like pleurisy, distress is intensified by breathing, sneezing, exercise, and laughing. Fever may be present plus nausea and abdominal tenderness. The disorder subsides spontaneously within two to three days.

TOMORROW: Do your stomach valves become tense?

SURGERY FOR INSANITY
K. T. writes: What is meant by a prefrontal lobotomy?

REPLY
An operation in which a group of nerve fibers in the front part of the brain are severed. The procedure is advocated in certain types of insanity which do not respond to the usual treatment. More recently, it has been used also in relieving intractable pain in cancer.

YELLOW SKIN
F. L. writes: I stopped my orgy of carrot eating after my skin turned yellow. The discoloration is slow in disappearing. Should I eliminate all other foods containing carotene?

REPLY
Yes, for the time being. Items containing this substance include carrots, squash, oranges, pumpkins, turnips, parsnips, spinach, green and yellow beans, etc.

TYPE OF HERNIA
H. L. writes: What is the cause of a femoral hernia?

REPLY
This type of rupture occurs in the groin and is due to congenital weakness in the area where the large blood vessels and nerves pass from the abdominal cavity into the legs.

FACIAL TIC
Mrs. R. J. writes: Would vitamins help twitching of one side of the face? I believe it is called a tic.

REPLY
Vitamins may help but in most instances the condition is on a nervous basis.

VIRUS PROTECTION
L. P. writes: Is there such a thing as inoculation against virus pneumonia?

REPLY
No, except in those instances in which influenza virus A or B plays a role.



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Warehouse Worker Gets Tax Lien Slapped on His Salary—Mistakenly—While Harry Blackmer of Teapot Dome Fame Lived In Luxury Abroad

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — Last week this column told how various big-shot tax-evaders managed to delay or squirm out of criminal tax-fraud prosecution, sometimes because of leniency on the part of politically minded or easygoing U. S. attorneys.

It was pointed out that U. S. attorneys are appointed on the recommendation of senators or congressmen, and sometimes appear to work more for the senators than for the Justice Department.

In contrast to the smooth sailing enjoyed by some big-shot tax-evaders, here is what happened recently to a little fellow who got into a misunderstanding over his taxes. This taxpayer, Francis J. Massey of 220 2nd Street, Washington, a displaced government war worker, found a job after the war as a warehouse worker for Lansburgh and Brothers, a Washington department store.

In 1948 Treasury agents checked Mr. Massey's tax returns for the war years and found proper returns had been filed and taxes paid, then suddenly it was discovered that a Frank J. Massey had received \$150 in dividends from stock owned in the Washington Gas Light Co. and the Treasury promptly assessed Francis J. Massey additional taxes.

Tax Lien on \$28 Salary

Actually, Francis J. Massey never owned the stock and never received any dividends. It belonged to his father, now deceased, Edward T. Stafford, secretary of the Washington Gas Light Co., certified that Francis J. Massey never owned the stock and never received the dividends owed to his father, but this made no difference to the U. S. Treasury.

It demanded that he pay just the same. Mr. Massey's salary was only \$28 a week, and he had a wife and two small children to support. But, under protest, he paid in small dribbles of \$2 a week up to a total of \$18.92. This, however, wasn't fast enough for the Treasury and it slapped a tax lien on his salary for the remaining \$15.59.

This got him into trouble with his employer who did not want to be suspected of harboring a tax dodger and he was fired.

Thus, unable to get a recommendation from his last employer—except with a tax-dodging record—Massey was unable to find full-time employment. His youngest child became ill, the family doctor had not been paid for past services and would not come when urgently needed. The child died and was buried in potter's field at government expense.

This burial expense probably about equaled the improper tax assessment of \$34.51 wrung from Mr. Massey. So, in the end, the Treasury Department gained nothing.

Finally the office of Deputy Collector J. Ellis Bowen apologized for the mistake, which they said was made in Baltimore. "We promise it won't happen again," Massey was told. "If you are assessed again, just ignore it."

That's the experience of one little taxpayer who had no money to hire lawyers.

Echoes Of Teapot Dome

On the other hand, here is the experience of a man who had the money to hire lawyers and to live in luxury abroad—One Henry K. Blackmer, multimillionaire oilman who fled to France to escape being questioned in the Teapot Dome scandal.

Some of the others who remained in the United States went to jail for

their connection with Teapot Dome and the Continental Trading Company. Albert P. Hall, Secretary of the Interior in the Harding Cabinet, served his sentence. Harry Sinclair served time for refusing to answer the questions of the Senate Committee. But Blackmer ducked for France, later was indicted on six counts for perjury and tax evasion to the tune of about \$2,000,000.

Blackmer, then president of the Midwest Refining Co., together with Sinclair and Robert Stewart of Standard Oil, formed the Continental Trading Company which purchased about 7,000,000 barrels of oil for \$1.50 a barrel and then sold it to their own companies for \$1.75. Sinclair used \$230,000 of the profits from this deal to bribe Secretary Fall. Another \$180,000 of profits went to the Republican National Committee in the form of Liberty bonds, and the committee tried to get high-ranking Republicans to exchange the bonds for cash.

Andrew Mellon sent \$50,000 of the bonds, but sent them back, accompanied by a gift of \$50,000 in cash. Blackmer's share of the boodle was found in the form of \$750,000 in Liberty bonds in a New York strongbox after he had fled to France.

The government made various efforts to bring Blackmer home, but the French government refused to extradite him and he remained there, living in the lap of luxury for 25 years, thumbing his nose at the nation which had made him rich and which he had cheated.

Last summer, Danny Sullivan, former G. O. P. Colorado politician who dug up the income-tax evidence against Blackmer, told friends in Washington:

"Henry Blackmer will never come back to this country while I'm alive."

Making Of A Will Prevents Difficulties For Survivors

By ROGER W. BABSON

BABSON PARK, Mass., Oct. 28 — Too many people die without leaving a will. The result: financial tangles, family squabbles, lawsuits, and the disposition of the property entirely contrary to the wishes of the deceased.

Why Make a Will?

Some day each of us will die. Making a will can neither hasten nor retard death, but a properly drawn will, executed by a competent lawyer, may save post-mortem disputes and prevent the distribution of an estate contrary to the wishes of the testator.

For example, property belonging to an intestate estate usually cannot be sold without a license from the court. This costs money. A will saves this difficulty. The testator can direct exactly how his property is to be disposed. Everyone, man or woman, who has real estate, bank accounts, securities, or a car should have a will and he should not wait until he is upon his death bed, either, to frame this important document.

Property Distribution Without a Will

Every state has laws concerning the disposition of property for those who are too lazy to make a will. Let us suppose you are married, your wife is living, and you have young children. You die, leaving a modest amount of property. You leave no will. In most states your wife is entitled to only one-third of your property; your children, whether you

have one or a dozen, to the other two-thirds. Your wife must be appointed legal guardian which involves an appreciable expenditure from your children's share of the property. Your wife's share of the property may soon be exhausted trying to support the children. When your children come of age and receive their inheritance, they may not see fit to aid their mother. Thus your widow lives on "old age assistance" because you failed to spend \$10-\$25 and a half an hour with a lawyer.

We all know of situations where, without a will, property and especially real estate has passed along, by law, to children not on speaking terms with one another. One of the inheritors may wish to sell, rent, or otherwise dispose of the property. The consent of other brothers and sisters who have a similar interest in the property cannot be obtained. The family squabble continues and all parties lose money via lawsuits. Or, consider the case when a man dies and leaves no children but leaves other relatives. In Massachusetts, for example, if the estate is \$10,000 or less, the wife gets all. If the estate totals more than \$10,000, the wife gets the first \$10,000 and only one-half the additional value of the estate. The long lost relatives get the rest! Wherever you live, the legal disposition of your estate may be quite contrary to your wishes.

Why Procrastinate?

Don't be foolish! I knew a thrifty

Tom Walsh's Fight

Sullivan died shortly thereafter, and almost immediately Blackmer's lawyers arranged to bring him back—reportedly with an understanding that he would escape a jail sentence. Now 80 years old, but in excellent spirits and good health, Blackmer flew back on a Stratoliner.

Blackmer has powerful friends in the U. S. A., among them G. O. P. Senator Millikin of Colorado, who was a partner in the law firm that originally handled Blackmer's affairs. Millikin, despite a difference in politics, is close to ex-Senator Ed Johnson, Colorado Democrat, who recommended the appointment of the U. S. attorney in Denver, Max Bulkeley.

And it was Bulkeley who informed newsmen in Denver that it would be "inhuman" to send Blackmer to jail. "He has paid his penalty," the U. S. attorney pleaded. "He has made good all the income taxes he evaded and paid heavy penalties and fines. I will not ask that he be sent to jail."

The venerable Senator Tom Walsh of Montana, having spent a good part of his Senatorial life unearthing the skulduggery of Henry Blackmer and his cronies, had joined with a Senate committee in describing that skulduggery as:

"The ill-gotten gains of a contemptible private steal, the peculations of trusted officers of great industrial houses, pilfering from their own companies, robbing their own stockholders, the share of the boodle coming to one of the freebooters serving as part of the price of the perfidy of a member of the President's Cabinet."

Fortunately, Tom Walsh was not alive to hear what U. S. Attorney Bulkeley had to say.

MATTER OF FACT

By JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP

The Roosevelt Parlay

ALTHOUGH racing bettors who fancy Greentree or Calumet Farms sometimes put their money on two horses of the same stable, a parlay on two members of the same family, for the governorships of two of the largest states in the union, is certainly a novel phenomenon in American politics.

None the less, such a parlay is now entirely possible, on James Roosevelt for governor of California and Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Jr., for governor of New York. It must be added that the amount of pleasure this gives to the Truman Administration is so small as to be practically non-discernible.

To get the extreme long shot out of the way first, young Franklin Roosevelt would hardly be a possibility for the New York governorship if he were anyone else, or if the Democratic party in New York contained many more mature contenders. In fact, however, he is who he is; he has established himself in national politics with his brilliant Congressional campaign; and he has such powerful backers as the astute Ed Flynn of the Bronx.

Good Try Probable

No one who watched young Roosevelt's energetic and sanguine approach to public life can doubt that he will seek the New York nomination if he has much chance to get it. Furthermore, he is likely to make a pretty good try at it.

In his early thirties, Franklin Roosevelt is so perfected a politician that he senses the vote-getting possibilities of any situation completely instinctively, as the old sailing-master sensed the set of their sails from the mere sound of the wind in the rigging. Aside from Mayor O'Dwyer, his only strong rival in New York is Mayor Erastus Corning of Albany, another young, able and entirely upright man, who nevertheless suffers the severe handicap of belonging to the O'Connell organization. Thus no one can say that a Roosevelt in the New York governorship race next year is not a long-shot bet at least.

As for a Roosevelt in the fight for the California governorship, this is a grim probability which the White House has already reluctantly faced. Life with an invidious comparison is never agreeable, and President Truman long ago lost whatever sentiment he may once have had about his predecessor. It is a drawback in the Truman White House, nowadays, to be a holdover from the Roosevelt regime.

James Roosevelt, moreover, con-

tinued to beat the Eisenhower drum right into the Philadelphia convention, which Franklin Roosevelt, Jr., did not. In addition, James Roosevelt's chief enemies in the California Democratic organization are the President's best friends in the state, the loudly loyal amateur cowboy, George Luckey, and that usefully prosperous oil man, Ed Pauley. Yet the President has swallowed his distaste for James Roosevelt. He has mastered his affection for his friends. And he has, in effect, recognized the young man he so much dislikes as the probable gubernatorial nominee in California.

The deed was done on the shrewd advice of the new chairman of the Democratic National Committee, William Boyle, who is doing a thoroughly professional job pulling together the Democratic organizations in a good many states. Boyle went to California on a money-raising trip just under two months ago, looked over the prospects, and concluded there was nothing to George Luckey's candidacy, and everything behind James Roosevelt. He counseled the President on his return that recognizing young Roosevelt was the realistic thing to do.

Lucky Walks Out

The act of recognition was then performed by Boyle at the rally of West Coast Democrats two or three weeks ago. Luckey was so angry that he walked out on the party. According to reports in Washington, the already weak-stop Roosevelt forces received a blow from which they will not recover. The more recent expedition of RFO Chairman Harley Hise, to see whether he is not the man to halt the Roosevelt bandwagon, is classified here as a mere fishing trip. Hise is said authoritatively to be without even the most secret White House sponsorship. In short, as far as California is concerned, the President seems to have given up.

These facts are remarkably significant, not to say entertaining, from several different angles. They emphasize the surviving magic of the Roosevelt name, which is a good joke on the Roosevelt haters. They hold out a future possibility of two Roosevelts running simultaneously for very high office, which will be a good joke on President Truman.

Above all, the President's action in California also emphasizes the likelihood that Truman is a candidate to succeed himself. For he is not a man who forgets a friend or makes up with enemies without some powerful ulterior motive, such as the prevention of another California rebellion in the 1952 convention.

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These Days

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

Veterans' Insurance

THERE IS SO MUCH discussion about Veterans' Insurance and the forthcoming windfall of \$3,000,000,000 that the subject requires some clarification as to facts.

There are about 7,000,000 federal life insurance policies with a total face value of \$40,000,000,000. World War II produced about 6,000,000 National Service Life Insurance policies, amounting to \$38,000,000,000 face value; from World War I there are more than 500,000 United States government life insurance policies with a face value of about \$2,000,000,000.

These are administered as trust funds by the Veterans' Administration. However, Congress has spent since 1942, \$4,000,000,000 for the Veterans' Administration Insurance Program. This money has all come out of the pockets of the taxpayer.

These expenditures, appropriated by Congress, come in several categories, one of which is the actual cost of administering the trust funds. Ordinarily, the cost of operating an insurance company or fund comes out of the earned income, but in the case of the veterans' insurances, the expenses are provided by special appropriations. This is one statistical trick by which those who supported the veterans' bonus of \$3,000,000,000 to be paid in time for the 1950 election, got their figures. The cost of Administration rose from \$4,454,000 in 1942 to \$49,734,000 in 1947. It is estimated that it will run \$48,000,000 in 1949. What will have to be added to administrative costs to pay the \$3,000,000,000 bonus has yet to be computed.

Certainly no business could calculate its costs of operation on the basis of getting them out of taxes and then announce a surplus. This is actually dishonest bookkeeping.

Scot who said he would save ten dollars and a visit to his lawyer. He got a sample form of a will, copied it, but failed to have it witnessed by the proper number of witnesses required by his state to make this document legal. The probate court tossed it out and the old man's wishes went to the winds.

A friend of one of my business associates died the other day. She was a widow in her middle fifties. She had no children nor near kin. She left no will. She had talked to many about her estate and what she had her heart set on doing with it when the time came. Then she suddenly died. "I have twenty-five more years to live and plenty of time to think about a will," she would thunder now. I am sure, could she see the property being divided up by law among all her first cousins.

It used to be the custom among English lawyers, at professional meetings, to offer the first toast to those who wrote their own wills. They knew that carelessly written wills bring the lawyers lots of business.

There are other direct payments by congressional appropriations, which amounted in 1942 to \$15,069,000; rose to over a billion dollars for each year in 1945 and 1946, and nearly that in 1947. These direct payments are estimated to amount to \$75,000,000 for 1949.

As the veterans' insurance trust funds are not self-supporting, but are maintained partially by congressional appropriations, it is impossible to say that premiums were overpaid. Congress appropriates to pay compensation to veterans or their heirs for disabilities and deaths due to extra-hazardous services, and this amount is impossible to estimate until all the claims have been made and have been satisfied.

While the veterans' bonus is to be paid out of the trust fund surplus, that surplus exists because of special congressional appropriations covering the Administration and some other insurance expenditures. These already cost us \$4,000,000,000 which is actually a billion more than the bonus amounts to.

In a word, simple arithmetic shows how the surplus was achieved and how it is being expended. It was accumulated because of congressional appropriations which made such an accumulation possible. If veterans' insurance were operated as a business, it would actually, on the present figures, be short over a billion dollars.

In fact, when the veterans receive this bonus, they will also receive interest on so-called overpaid premiums and the \$500,000,000 for interest payments was appropriated by Congress in August, 1949. It comes not out of over-payment of premiums or out of trust funds, but out the taxpayers' pocket.

The Hoover commission recommended that the insurance functions of the Veterans' Administration be taken from that body, be placed in charge of a separate government corporation and be made self-sustaining. This has not been done.

This article has not been written to oppose the bonus, as that is over the dam. It has been written to clarify the facts. Many veterans do not know that these insurance policies cost them, in addition to the premiums they paid, a fortune, amounting already to \$4,000,000,000 out of taxes—which we all, veterans and non-veterans, have to pay. And it is important that we should know that. For what the politicians do is to appeal to the greed, the cupidity of each one of us. They make us feel that we are getting something for nothing.

They give us the impression that they are doing something for us. Actually, they are bribing us with our own money to betray ourselves into agreeing to wreck the economy of our country.

By this means, they get us to continue them in office.

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KEEPING UP WITH HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 30 (INS)—Just heard that Samuel Goldwyn has rented the former David Selznick studio from RKO-Pathé, and will move there with his future pictures. He and Frances were there last week looking over the layout. Frances, I hear, has already selected her office. Yes, she works for her husband.



Samuel Goldwyn

Apparently Sam's pick to buy Mary Pickford's interest in his studio failed. He was paying \$30,000 a year rent, but Mary raised the rent and they failed to get together on the sale.

Alexis Smith is on permanent suspension from Warner Brothers. In other words, Alexis has been given her walking papers for refusing to play "The Shoplifter" at Universal-International.

Seems there is a clause in her contract that she has to do what she is told. When she didn't, Jack Warner exercised the right to end their contractual relations.

What was Mervyn Leroy doing on the Universal-International lot having lunch with Bill Goetz? Hawkshaw, the detective (that's me), heard that he was there to

discuss "Harvey." Bill wants Merv to direct Jimmy Stewart and Josephine Hull in Mary Borden Chase's play.

There's just a little matter of arranging to borrow Mr. Leroy from MGM. But since Bill is Louis B. Mayer's son-in-law, well, it should not be too difficult.

Chatter in Hollywood: This I call love: Actor Stanley Clements journeyed to Briar Cliff College to put an engagement ring on the finger of Janet Booth, Indiana debutante.

Broadway Producer Leland Hayward is out to establish an all-time record for making a low budget "A" movie to his "Mr. Roberts." Leland will spend \$50,000 on a tramp steamer, which he will convert into a stage at an additional \$25,000.

Then next summer he will take Henry Fonda and the rest of the "Mr. Roberts" cast aboard the steamer to Haiti, where they will play the roles they created on Broadway.

With everybody—including the author—sharing profits, Leland is confident he can make an "A" movie for \$150,000.

Tommy Dorsey will get in town tomorrow after closing at Glenn McCarthy's Shamrock Hotel in Houston. He is negotiating the sale of his Casino Gardens ballroom at Ocean Park to Frank Veloz for \$150,000.

Frank has the big idea of converting it into the first big television theatre on the coast. This could be very good at Ocean Park.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random:

Margaret Sullivan and Douglas Honnold, the architect who designed the Bantam Cock, were the cynosure of all eyes when they walked into why, the Bantam Cock, of course.

Maggie looked pretty. Brynne Foy, who has been quite sick and must remain hospitalized for another few weeks, became a grandfather last week. His daughter, Mrs. Landstrom, had a baby.

Gregory Ratoff is very sick in a London clinic.

Lionel Barrymore and James Mason have struck up a telephone friendship and have become buddies. It all started when Lionel called James to ask for some advice about his pet cat.

The stork rumors which everyone was whispering about Lauren Bacall and Humphrey Bogart are not true. Baby says she hopes some day it will be true.

Dolores Moran is suffering with an allergy rash which she got from a dog. Seems she's allergic to poaches. I'm glad I'm not.

The Donald Nelsons have bought Kay Francis' beautiful house, and the pretty Mrs. N. is busy getting it furnished.

When Joan Harrison planned in from Europe, she was met by Clark Gable. Don't tell Paulette Goddard, who thinks she has first dibs on Clark.

That's all today. See you tomorrow.



A striking appearance is the result of analyzing your type and then dramatizing it in your dress.

SECRETS OF CHARM

by JOHN ROBERT POWERS

SOME women seem to be born with a striking appearance... and a great many other women believe this is true! But it isn't... not ever! A rare girl is born with exceptional features and symmetrical bone structure (about one in a thousand) but these attributes are useless unless she learns to make the most of them! Even celebrated beauties are seldom endowed with perfection of face and figure. Most would be considered neither beautiful nor successful if they hadn't worked to minimize their worst points, enhance their best, and above all crystallize their individuality.

For A Striking Appearance

If you wish to take a big step toward a striking appearance, analyze your individuality to discover your type. Take a good look at yourself. Search for qualities you may never have noticed. Perhaps you have some wonderful characteristics that immediately point an index finger to your type—one you can dramatize!

You may have Latin coloring and features right out of a Goya portrait of a Spanish lady. If so, you'll know right away that Scotch plaid will never do a thing for you—but a black lace dinner dress and a fresh, open rose will make you stand out above the crowd on any important night!

But if you're of Scotch-Irish descent and look it, cleave to the plaids and leave the castanets to Carmen. I'm not talking about over-doing any native strain with a get-up that looks like a costume. I'm talking about subtly stressing your romantic and dramatic appeal to strengthen latent individuality—with a fabric, a flower, a jewel, a color. If you can find the stamp of some adventurous ancestor on your countenance, make the most of it!

Dress to Type

If you fail to find it, label your-

are going to exclaim as one Powers Girl did, "What shall I do! I know I look like the tailored type, but I feel mighty ruffly." And here's your answer: Choose basic clothes... basic hats, dresses, coats and suits... and then let yourself go on the little accessories to express your personality. Pick the handkerchief, the petti-

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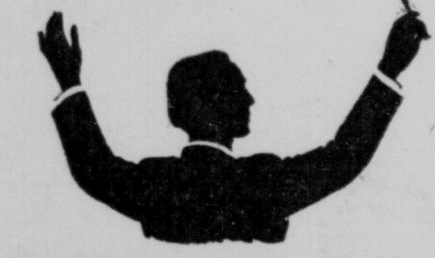
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The Potomac Edison system's four-state network of generating plants and power lines received a new station Friday when its new \$7,500,000 Riverton Power Station of the Northern Virginia Power Company was dedicated formally.

Located just outside of Front Royal, Va., on the Shenandoah River, the new steam plant will be capable of producing 40,000 kilowatts — roughly equivalent to the power of 53,000 horses or 700 automobiles.

In addition to the Riverton plant, the Potomac Edison Company sends out power through four other company steam stations and 11 small hydro-electric plants.

The entire system, of which the Northern Virginia Power Company is a part, will go over lines that form a transmission line triangle including Riverton, Va., Cumberland and Williamsport, Md.

Because coal is used by the Riverton Station at the rate of nearly 17 tons per hour at full capacity, a stockpile of fuel sufficient to fire the big boiler for about seven weeks of normal operation is constantly maintained.

Use Shenandoah River

Inside the furnace, temperatures reach as high as 2,800 degrees Fahrenheit as the white-hot burning gases turn the water in the tubes lining the furnace into steam. This steam then travels through pipes to the turbo-generator unit.

Water from which steam is produced in the Riverton Station comes from the slow-moving Shenandoah River over which the plant towers to a height of 160 feet. As much as 1,800,000 gallons per hour are required by the unit's steam condenser.

This is approximately as much water as a good size city consumes in one day. After being used for cooling purposes, the water is pumped back into the river — unchanged except for a slight increase in temperature.

Fly Ash Disposal

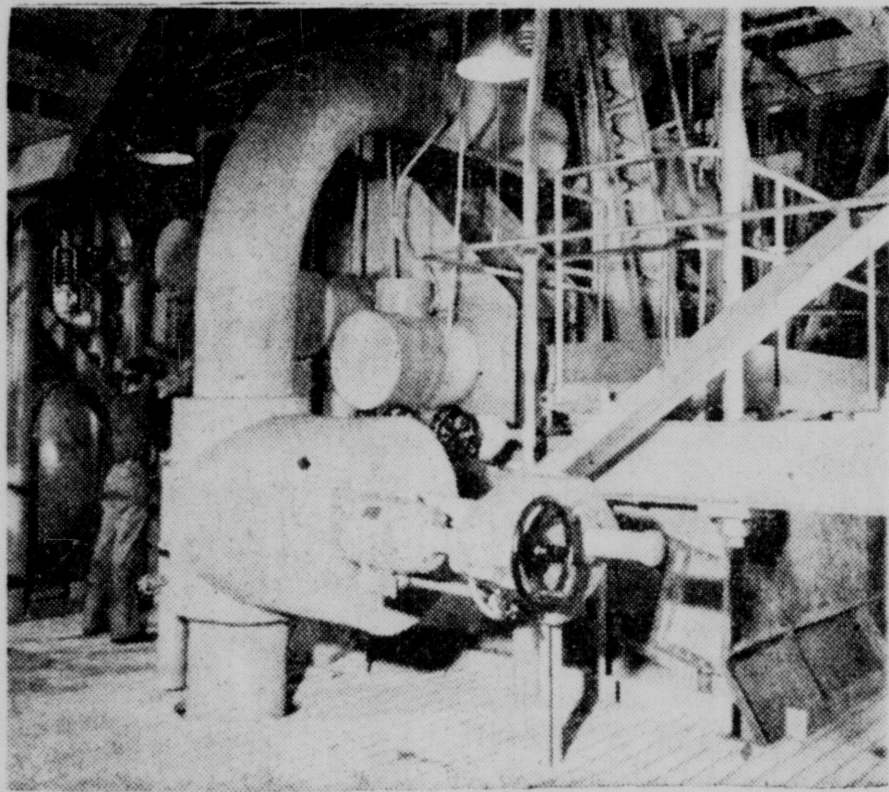
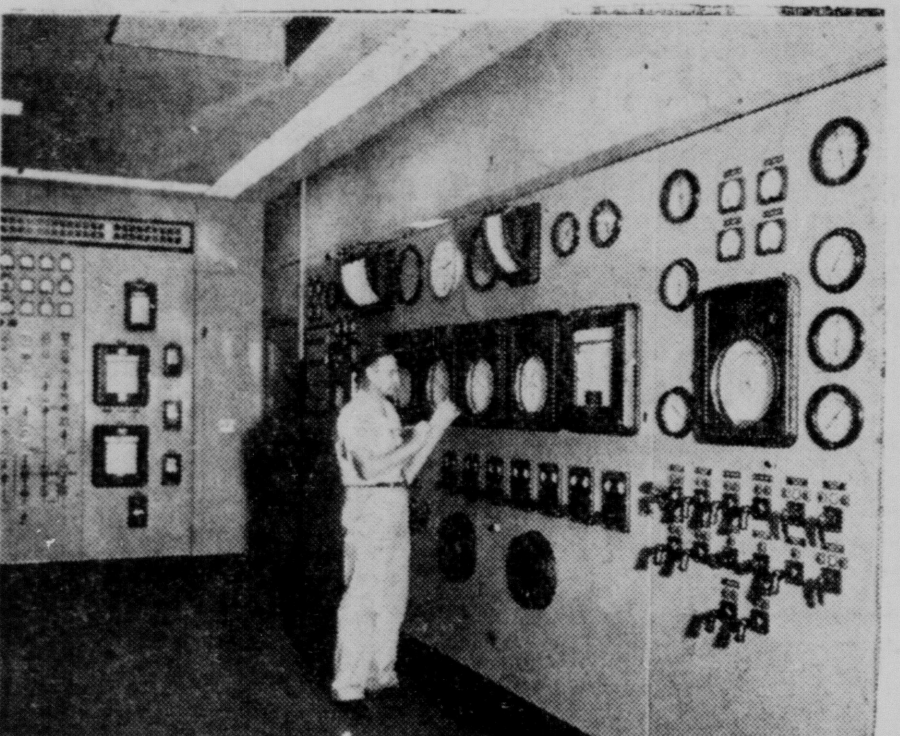
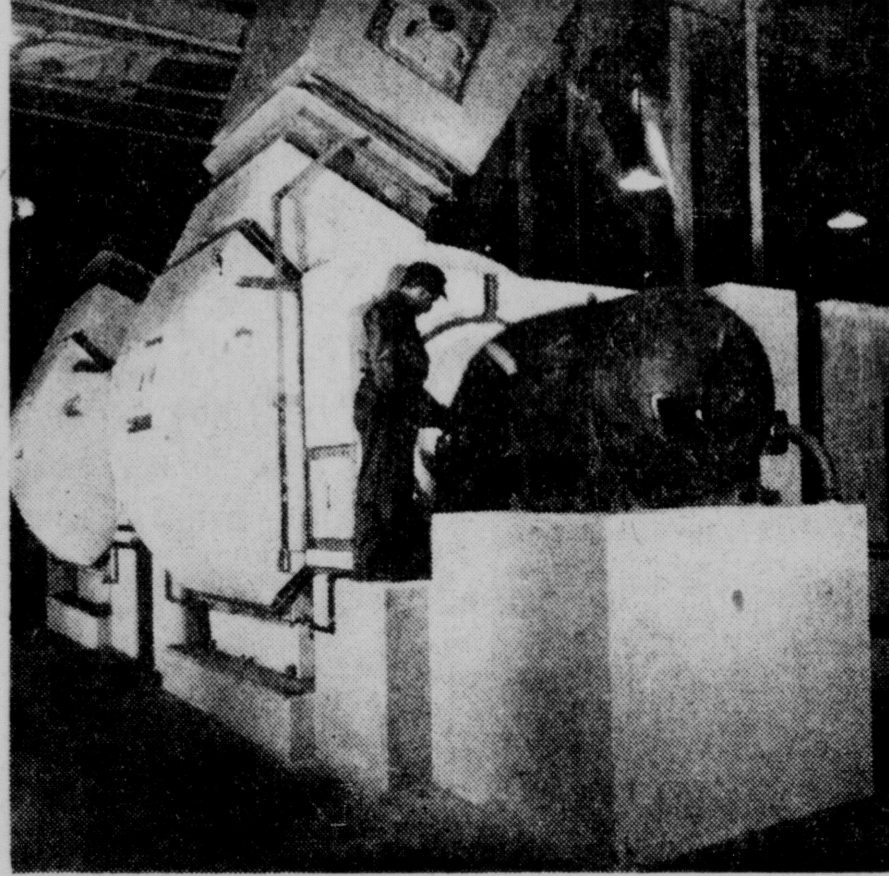
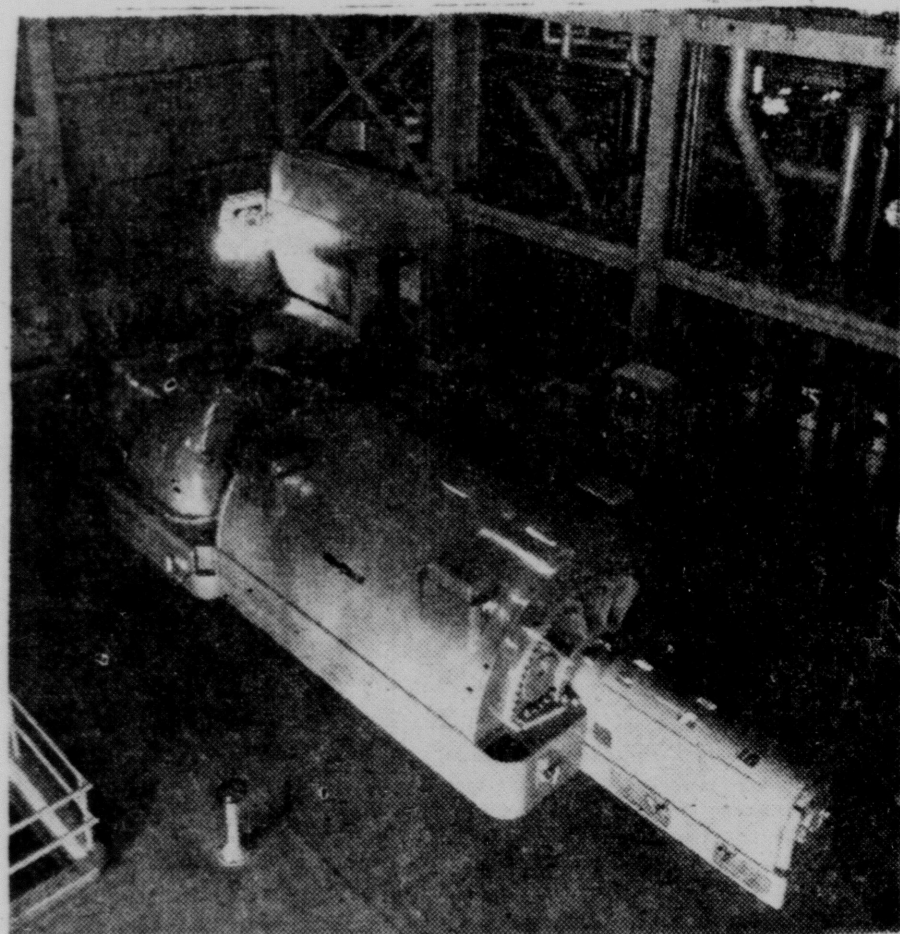
Fly ash, from the huge stack, is caught by mechanical means before it has a chance to escape and settle over the plant and surrounding countryside. This ash is then mixed with water and pumped through a eight inch pipe extending under the Shenandoah River from the base of the plant.

On the other side of the river, the ash is allowed to settle in a large excavation and the clear water returned to the river. Potomac Edison and other business-managed utilities are cooperating to sponsor research to determine the best commercial use of this residue.

Bird Expert To Speak Here

Alexander Sprunt, Jr., lecturer from the National Audubon Society, will speak November 9 at 8 p. m. at Allegany High School under the sponsorship of the Allegany County Bird Club.

Tickets are now on sale for the talk which is the first of five Audubon Society lectures to be sponsored here by the local bird club.



Oakland Case Decision Delayed

Decision on a demurrer filed in Garrett County Circuit Court in the high school building restraining case there, was withheld Saturday by the full bench of the Fourth Judicial Circuit.

Chief Judge Joseph B. Mish and Associate Judges Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., and George Henderson indicated they would file a written opinion in the case.

The demurrer was filed by the Board of Garrett County Commissioners in reply to a suit entered by several Oakland citizens in an attempt to prevent the board from continuing with plans to erect two new high schools in the county.

Walter C. Capper and Edward J. Ryan, this city, are attorneys for the plaintiffs, Ronald E. McIntire and others, and Neil C. Fraley, W. W. Dawsons and W. R. Offutt, are attorneys for the commissioners.

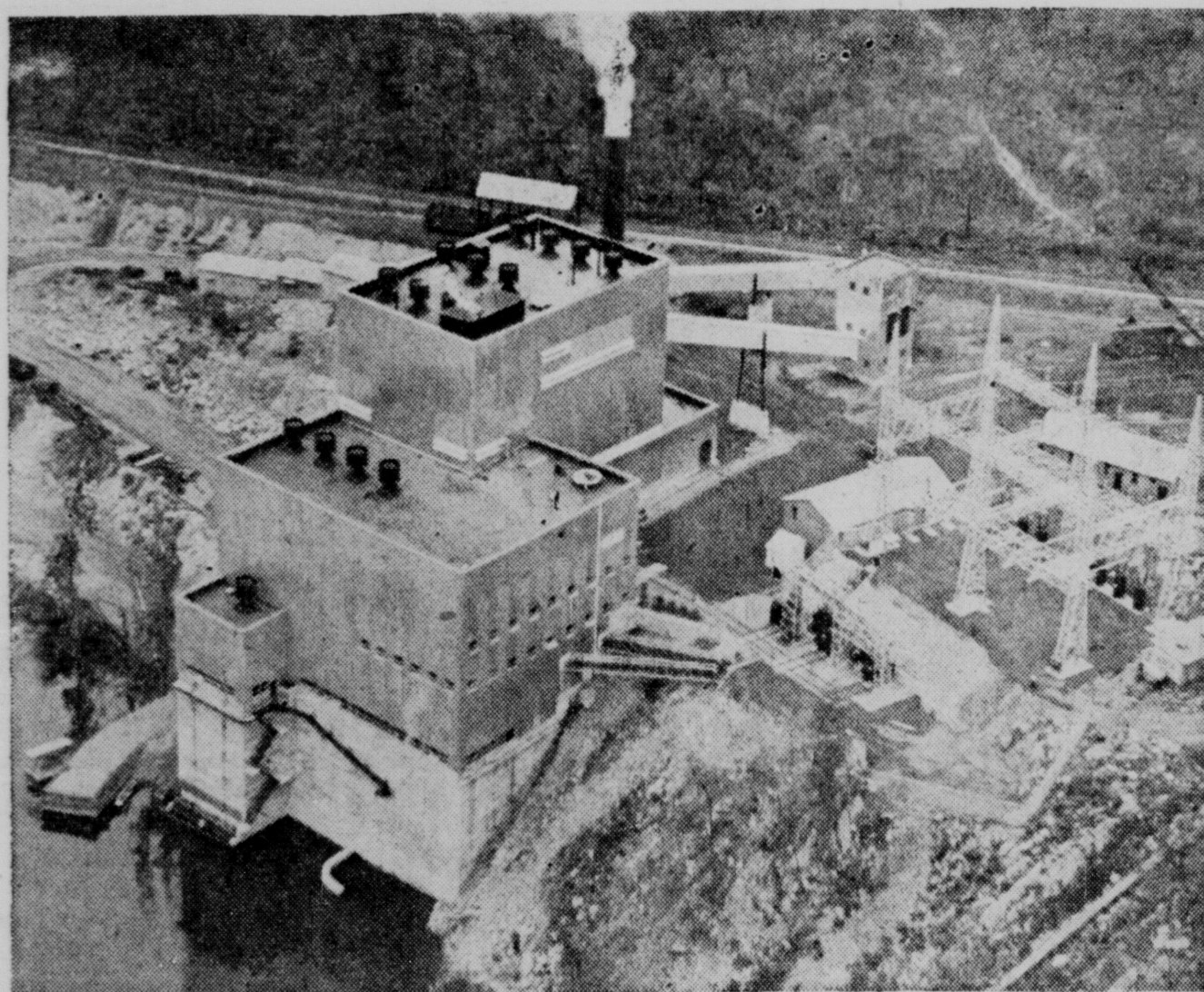
The original suit asked that the county commissioners be enjoined permanently from expending money from a recent act of legislature in the building of new high schools at or near Oakland and at the Cove.

State Agency Team Checks Truck Loading

A three-man team of State Roads Commission checkers and State Trooper Harry Bosley were stationed last week at heavily-traveled intersections to check on trucks traveling Maryland roads with weights in excess of the limit.

Trooper Bosley flagged down the trucks and checkers Roy Stewart, Tony Sapia and Chester Leith ascertained the weight of the loaded vehicle.

Several trucks carrying way above the legal weight were found.



RIVERTON POWER PLANT — The bottom picture shows an aerial view of the new \$7,500,000 Riverton Virginia Power Station, capable of producing 40,000 kilowatts, and tied into the Potomac Edison system with Cumberland. It is located just above Front Royal, Va. The river in the foreground is the Shenandoah. The top left photo is the massive turbo-generator. It travels so rapidly, if it were turned on its side like a top it would run from New York to San Francisco in four hours. Top right shows a Riverton workman checking over a big induced draft fan. Center left shows the central control room where all major equipment at Riverton may be automatically controlled. Right center is a view of the main steam line leading from the massive super heater. This line supplies 850 pounds of steam per square inch at a temperature of 900 degrees Fahrenheit. Under the sheath of insulation, workmen say the pipe glows with a red hot heat. The new plant was dedicated and placed in full operation Friday.

Conservation Fund Hike Seen

An increase in funds to help Allegany County farmers carry out approved conservation practices in 1950 was termed probable yesterday by Albert O'Neal, chairman of the County Production and Marketing Committee.

Congress has appropriated \$285,000,000 for the 1950 program as compared to \$265,000,000 last year O'Neal pointed out.

O'Neal explained that this money

is used to assist farmers in carrying out soil and water conservation practices on their individual farms. Payment under this program is made to the farmers and administered by the county committee.

"This, together with increased price support and related activities, makes the coming Agricultural Conservation Committee election even more important than usual," O'Neal said.

Elections are held every year in every agricultural community. In these elections farmers cooperating in Production and Marketing Administration programs elect community committeemen and delegates to a county convention where a county committee is elected.

The county committee, consisting of a chairman, vice chairman, member and two alternate members, has the responsibility of deciding the use of funds in meeting conservation needs and is in charge of activities connected with price support, purchase agreement, and loan programs.

Elections in the nine communities of Allegany County are being held now. Ballots have been mailed to all eligible voters and must be returned to the county office by November 1.

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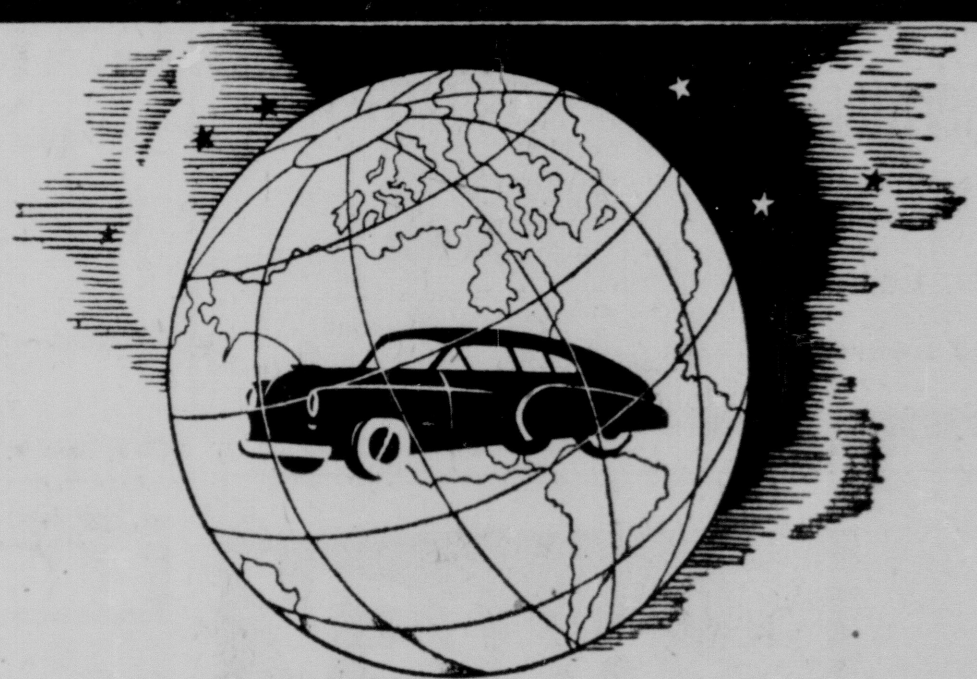
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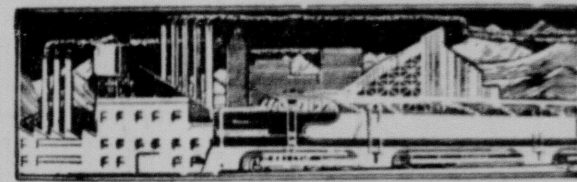


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NEWS FROM THE
TRI-STATE AREA

KEYSER

Church Women
Hold Combined
Birthday Party

Mrs. Gourley Gives
Welcome Address

PIEDMONT, W. Va.—A birthday party for all women of the church sponsored by the WSCS was held Thursday evening in the recreation hall of Piedmont Trinity Methodist Church.

Table arrangements and decorations represented the 12 months of the year and each guest sat at the table of the month in which she was born.

The address of welcome was given by Mrs. Elin Gourley, president of the society. Faith Grindle, dressed as a page, made program announcements.

The program included vocal duets by Mrs. Helene Poland and Mrs. Helen Biggs; vocal solos by Victory Kalbaugh, Jr., Mrs. Alma Price and Miss Jean Jenkins.

Mrs. Peggy Raines Shaw posed as a bride while Mrs. Helene Poland sang, "Because," Mrs. Shaw gave a reading, Mrs. Henrietta Kozlo, Mrs. Violet Daddysman, Miss Effie Fordyce, Miss Marie Clark, Miss Wanda Cunningham and Miss Phyllis Adams of the Wesleyan Service Guild, gave a comical reading. Miss Adams was the reader.

A trio composed of Miss Joann Grindle, Miss Nancy McGiboney and Karel Clary sang. Readings were given by Mrs. John E. Grindle, "The Goblins Will Get You if You Don't Watch Out" and Edward Seaman, "The Pilgrims' First Thanksgiving." A quartet composed of Victor Kalbaugh, Jr., Henry C. Johnson, Mrs. Helen Biggs and Mrs. Helene Poland, sang and a reading by Miss Shirley Raines, "The Night Before Christmas." Piano accompaniments were played by Mrs. Mable Thompson. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Blake To
Address Woman's Club

PIEDMONT, W. Va.—Mrs. H. Frank Blake, Lost Creek, W. Va., state chairman of the American Home Department of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs will be the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Piedmont Woman's Club, Thursday at 8 p.m. at the Piedmont Library rooms.

The Tri-Towns Male Chorus will sing a group of selections. An antique display of colonial times will be arranged by Mrs. James Kelly.

Firemen's Auxiliary
Installs Officers

MCCOOLE—Officers were installed at the regular meeting of the McCoolle Auxiliary of the McCoolle Volunteer Fire Company at the Fire Hall Thursday night. Mrs. Erma Wright was installing officer.

Inducted into office were: Mrs. Lela Henry, president; Mrs. Margaret Robinson, vice president; Mrs. Connie Dayton, secretary; Mrs. Edna Dayton, treasurer; Mrs. Lena Duckworth, chaplain; Miss Pauline Cole, guard; Mrs. Erma Wright, historian; Mrs. Norma Welsh, chairman of trustees, and Mrs. Delsa Wright and Margaret Robinson, trustees.

Refreshments were served following the installation ceremonies.

Rifle Club Has
Banquet At Barton

BARTON — Sixty-two members and guests attended the annual banquet of the Allegany and Garrett Rifle Club at Barton Presbyterian Church October 27.

Members of Barton Girl Scout Troop No. 1 entertained with a short Halloween skit, recitations and group singing.

Several club members received badges and awards for marksmanship.

Tri-Towns Personals

Dwight L. P. Noland, who recently suffered a heart attack, is recovering at his home, 306 Rock Street, Westernport. His daughter, Miss Eleanor Noland, who is employed at Richmond, Va., who was called here, has now returned to that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kalbaugh, Westernport, announce the birth of a son, in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett, 112 Railroad Street, Westernport, in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va. Bartlett was the former Geraldine Dohm.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Schoppert have returned from a visit with his brother, Harry V. Schoppert and his sister, Mrs. Lloyd Wright and family at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Infant Baptized

MIDLAND—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. K. Ponders was baptized Sunday at the 11 a. m. worship service at Grace Methodist Church by Rev. Raymond M. Crowe, pastor.

The child was named Jane Marie. Mrs. Ponders is the former Miss Wilma Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Elliott, Dan's Rock, Md.

Sportsmen To See
Conservation Films

FROSTBURG — The Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association will hold a meeting Thursday, November 3, at 8 p. m. in the social hall of Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church, Broadway.

Martin Gordon, of the Allegany County Soil Conservation Service, will show two movies, "Realm of the Wild" and "Heritage We Guard." He will be assisted by Dale Arner, wild life technician of the State Forestry Department, who will give a talk on conservation.

William Goebel, who recently returned from a hunting trip in North Dakota, will preside. A committee from the association will serve refreshments.

18 Frostburg
Students Enter
Window Contest

To Decorate Store
Panels For Halloween

FROSTBURG—Fourteen students in the seventh grade at Beall Elementary School have entered the Rotary Club's Halloween window decorating contest, while four Beall High School students have filed entry blanks.

Those from Beall, Elementary School who have decorated store windows on Main Street are Dixie Klosterman, Eleanor Preston, Peggy Pfaff, Gerald McKenzie, Billy Hawkins, Johnny Walker, Schuler Briggs, George Beall, Joel Downey, William Eichhorn, Dallas Chaney, Shirley Ann Durst, Delores Stott, and Martha Stott.

The Beall High Students entering are Nancy Jean Tennant, Virginia Spates, Virginia Lewis and Earl Kerr.

Merchants co-operating in the project are Jones' Drug Store, Tom Elias Edna Griffiths, Albert Via's, Beall Insurance Co., Prichard's Joe Robinson's Grocery and the Frostburg Department Store.

Three judges will view the windows today, and prizes amounting to \$15 will be awarded by the Frostburg Rotary Club.

Keyser Church Women
Plan Peace Project

KEYSER, W. Va.—World Community Day will be observed at the Lutheran Church, Davis Street, Keyser, by affiliates of the United Council of Church Women. The National group of the United Council of Church Women has set aside November 4, this year as a day to be known as "Pieces for Peace," and church women throughout this country and other countries, will gather at their churches and bring pieces of cloth, thread, needles, scissors, thimbles, etc., to be put in to bundles and sent to women in other countries where many women are unable to get the cloth with which clothing may be made for their families.

Mrs. Charles D. Ludwick, is head of the local group sponsoring the "Pieces for Peace" movement this year.

Terra Alta
Stock Yard

TERRA ALTA, W. Va.—Prices in Friday's sale at the E. S. Evans Stock Yard were quoted as follows: Calves, good to choice, 24.50 to 30.60, common to medium 15.25 to 23.00, feeder calves, steers, 11.25 to 28.00, heifers, 13.25 to 27.25, bulls, 13.50 to 23.50.

Hogs, choice weights 18.50 to 19.10, heavy weights 16.50 to 17.75, sows 13.80 to 17.80, pigs and shoats 3.00 to 18.25 per head, boars 8.00 to 11.00.

Steers, good 18.50 to 22.80, common to medium 13.10 to 16.75, heifers, good 18.40 to 22.25, common to medium 12.75 to 17.80, cows, good 15.50 to 17.50, common to medium 5.00 to 13.75, cows by the head 75.00 to 125.00, bulls, 14.50 to 19.40.

Lambs, blues 23.50, reds 21.75, yellows 17.70, common 13.70, culls 8.75, butcher ewes 3.75 to 11.50, horses, 50c to 3.75 per cwt., 26.00 to 73.00 per head.

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Frostburg Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shockey, Johnstown, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter Wednesday night in Miners Hospital. Mrs. Shockey, the former Mary Margaret Minnick, was formerly on the hospital nursing staff.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steele Leake, Shaft, was baptized October 23 in St. Michael's Catholic Church by Rev. Regis P. Larkin. The child was named Mary Beth. Sponsors were Mrs. George Smith and Joseph Seib, aunt and uncle of the child.

The East End Playground Association will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Clara Mae Vogtman, Grant Street. All members are asked to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Martin, Lonaconing, announce the birth of a daughter October 23 in Miners Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradenberg, Standish Street, announce the birth of a son October 23 in Miners Hospital.

Dance Tomorrow — A round and square dance sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary Unit of Victory Post No. 155 will be held at the Legion Home tomorrow, with dancing from 9 to 12.



BRIDGE COMPLETED — Final blacktopping of the bridge and its approaches on Route 40 at LaVale is shown under way in the above picture. The bridge, now open, was the last step in relocation of Route 40 between Cumberland and Frostburg. The view, looking towards Cumberland, shows improved visibility as a result of relocation of the bridge and widening of the road.

Grantsville
Personals

Miss Lucretia Boucher, who visited her brother, John Boucher and family in Birmingham, Ala., returned by airplane to Pittsburgh and visited her mother, Mrs. Melissa Boucher here on her way to Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Getty, daughter Kathy and Miss Ann Smart of Hancock, Md., Miss Mollie Smart, of Towson State Teachers College, Towson, Md., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fahey.

Mrs. Emma Bender is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gnagay, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Patton and son, Sgt. John Patton, Cherry Point, N. C., returned from a visit to the former's son, M-Sgt. Norman P. Patton and family of Muroc, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Durst entertained the following guests to dinner recently, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strong, Mr. and Mrs. John Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brotemarkle of Cumberland, and Cliff Broadwater, Barton, Md.

Mrs. Elmer Durst and son Thomas of New Germany, are in Baltimore spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jenkins.

Mrs. Asa J. Fresh, Cumberland, has gone to Rochelle, Wis., to be with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Plummer, who is a patient in a hospital there. Mrs. Plummer was formerly Miss Ann Fresh, of New Germany.

Mrs. Lewis Kamp of near Grantsville has returned to her home, after visiting relatives in Johnstown, Pa. Paul Wiley, Canton, Ohio, is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner, Bittinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Oney Brenneman, Meyersdale, were recent guests of Mr. Brenneman's mother, Mrs. Denis Brenneman and family of Bittinger. Herbert Brenneman has returned to Washington, D. C., after visiting his mother, Mrs. Agnes Brenneman, Bittinger.

Mrs. Silas Beachy, Mrs. LeRoy Emory, and Jonas Beachy have returned to their home in Bittinger after visiting relatives in Farmington, Ohio, and Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Mollie Turner of Baltimore, Md., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stanton and family.

Mrs. Catherine Miller, who spent the summer with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Miller, returned to Hagerstown, Md., to spend the winter with her son, Floyd Miller and family.

Mrs. James Edwards and daughter have returned home from Allegany Hospital, Cumberland.

Farm Bureau Meeting
Thursday Night

GRANTSVILLE — The annual Garrett County Farm Bureau banquet and business meeting will be held Thursday evening. Dinner will be served by women's groups of three local churches, Lutheran, Reformed and Methodist.

A general assembly in the auditorium of Grantsville School will follow.

Grantsville To Observe
Halloween Tonight

GRANTSVILLE—The Grantsville School and other organizations will sponsor a Halloween celebration tonight at 7 o'clock.

A parade led by the Grantsville School Band will highlight the evening, with prizes awarded to participants.

A movie, "My Dog Shep," will be shown in the auditorium, and a dance will be held at the Legion home.

Nancy Thielen Is Crowned
Miss Spotlight IV At Bruce

WESTERNPORT—Nancy Thielen was crowned Miss Spotlight IV by Principal John W. Fisher at an impressive ceremony Friday night at a dance at Bruce High School sponsored by the journalism class which publishes the school paper, The Spotlight.

Russell F. DeVore, a senior, was the queen's escort.

The queen's court included Margaret Devine and Charles Mills, representing St. Peter's High School; Jo Ann Sagers and Eldred Green, representing Piedmont High School; Addie MacLaughlin and Gibson Jaworek, representing Keyser High School; Linda Kookan and Ervin Berry of the Sophomore class of Bruce; Henrietta Sultz and William MacKenzie, junior class of Bruce; Roberta Rosier and Robert Richnell, senior class of Bruce;

James Beck of the Hammond Street school was the crown bearer.

The queen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Thielen. Announcements were made by Walter Woodson, athletic director of Bruce. After the coronation the grand march was led by the queen and her escort.

A floor show was presented which included a novelty song and dance number by Emile O'Rourke, Jackie Kaye Scarell, Janet Fay Umstot, Rose Mary and Judith Ord; two saxophone solos by Charles Weicht; piano duet by Dotty Miller and Janet Tinsley.

Piano accompaniments were played by Mrs. Mary Ord. A vocal solo was given by Mary Alice Travis with piano accompaniment by Mrs. P. E. Berry. Music for dancing was provided by the Societers Orchestra of Keyser, W. Va.

Tri-State Deaths

JOHN W. LINKSWILER — John William Linkswiler, 60, died yesterday at 6 a. m. at his home, 108 Railroad Street, Westernport.

A lifelong resident of Westernport, he was a retired coal miner having served 48 years in the mines. He was last employed by the Mas-teller Coal Company, Hampshire, W. Va.

He was an active member of the Church of the Brethren. His wife, Mrs. Grace Mae Linkswiler, died September 7. Mr. Linkswiler is survived by one sister, Mrs. Bessie Bantz, Geneva, Pa., one half sister, Mrs. James Mayhew, Cassville, W. Va.; one half brother, James D. Linkswiler, Westernport; two daughters, Mrs. Leona Smallwood, at home, and Mrs. Bertha Hackett, Westernport; one son Percie Linkswiler, at home, and four grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of the Brethren, Westernport, with Rev. J. E. Dettra, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Pioneer Cemetery. The body is at home.

HARRY H. KING, SR. — LOCH LYNN—A funeral service for Harry H. King, Sr., who died October 12 of a heart attack at his home here, was conducted October 15 at Bayard, W. Va., Methodist Church by Rev. J. E. Hodges, Gormania.

Mr. King, a coal miner for 43 years, was born in Deer Park, a son of the late Arch and Frances King. He lived in Kempton, W. Va., for 30 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ella King; one daughter, Miss Dorothea King, Loch Lynn; two sons, Arthur King, Kempton, and Harry H. King, Jr., Akron, Ohio; one brother, John B. King, Loch Lynn, and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Thompson, Morgantown, W. Va.

Pallbearers were W. P. Bennett, H. B. Evans, Jack Lipovec, Guy Wilson, William Povish and William Hilton.

Flowerbearers were Julia Lipovec, Gloria Pugh, Wanda Corbin, Betty Ann Tasker, Helen Lipovec, Mary V. Brick and Virginia Markovich.

Wilma Winters Wins Barton Essay Contest — Barton High School won first prize in an essay contest on the subject, "Halloween." Finalists, winners from each grade included, Retha Durem, seventh; Elsie Mae Gatten, eighth; Bobby Kirk, ninth grade; Mary Ethel Metz, tenth grade.

Local merchants presented prizes to the contest winner.

Davis Students
Elect Officers

PARSONS, W. Va. — Ira McDowell, principal of Davis High School has announced class elections of officers for the coming year.

Seniors — president, Carl Kline; vice president, Mary Lou Combs; secretary-treasurer, Rebecca Friend; sponsor, Leonard Freeman.

Juniors — president, Dorothy Wilson; vice president, Margaret Campbell; secretary-treasurer, Jack Naz-elrod; and sponsor, Mrs. Joyce Cooper.

Sophomores — president, Albert Zalatoris; vice president, Jane Miller; secretary-treasurer, John Raese; sponsor, Welder Pell.

Freshmen — president, Kermit Burger; vice president, Robert Spoungale; secretary-treasurer, Ronald Whitehair, and sponsor, Miss Margaretie Chrystal.

Eighth grade — president, Wayne Spiggle, Jr.; vice president, Georgia Arnold; secretary-treasurer, Joan Combs, and sponsor, Mrs. Ira McDowell.

Seventh grade — David Spiggle, president; Ardith Smith, vice president; Sarah Warner, secretary-treasurer, and Dorsey Cole, sponsor.

P-TA Of Davis
Names Committees

PARSONS, W. Va. — Mrs. Mar-jorie Goughly of Davis, president of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Davis School, has announced her committees for the coming year.

Objective committee — Miss Martha Bomberger, Miss Virginia Cooper, Mrs. Nelle Crossland, and H. L. Williams, Mrs. Darrel Lantz and Mrs. James Arnold.

Membership committee — Mrs. Frank Tekavec, Mrs. G. McClear, Mrs. Clarence Pennington, Miss Venna Windle and Mrs. Rosalee Snyder.

Music committee — Mrs. Richard Friend, Mrs. H. K. Kackley, Miss Anna Bogdanovich, Earl Newcomer and Miss Grace Ours.

Ways and means committee — Mrs. Boyd Hull, Mrs. Edith Bigler, Mrs. William Kline, Mrs. Denver Griffith, and Mrs. E. F. Creegan.

Program committee — Mrs. Glen Eichelberger, Mrs. French VanDevender, Mrs. Patrick Pell and Mrs. Glen Wilcox.

Hospitality committee — Mrs. Boyd Wise, Mrs. Iva Arnold, Mrs. Irvin Watring, Mrs. Louis Pregel and Mrs. Clara Stafford.

Publicity committee — Mrs. Robert Raese, Mrs. Francis Geroski, Mrs. Fred Riley, Mrs. Wayne Spiggle and Miss Mildred Eshelman.

MIDLAND PERSONALS — Miss Carleita Briner spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sullivan, College Park.

Miss Grace Briner, Miss Angela Winner and Charles Carpenter, Luke, spent the weekend in Chester, Pa., as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyte Semones. They attended the Notre Dame-Navy football game in Baltimore before returning home.

Mrs. Catherine O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Brien and Mrs. Charles Hawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien in Detroit, Mich. They were accompanied home by Danny O'Brien.

Mrs. Patrick Manley, accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Coberly and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poland, Mt. Savage, to Pittsburgh last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Harry Clay.

Mrs. Raymond Kuhn, Cumberland, spent Wednesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robertson.

Divorce Granted — KEYSER, W. Va. — Mrs. Estella Brock, Piedmont, was granted a divorce from Albert Brock by Judge Ernest A. See in Mineral County Circuit Court Thursday. The plaintiff had her maiden name, Estella Carpenter, restored.

Card Party Wednesday — WESTERNPORT — A public card party will be held at Bruce High School Auditorium Wednesday at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the Alumni Association.

Luke School Holds
Halloween Parade

LUKE—The Luke School held its annual Halloween parade Thursday evening followed by a program and social at the school.

The following were awarded prizes: Eloise Anta, best witch; Thomas Congianelli, pirate; Leroy Bland, hobo; Elgerina Camples, bride; Shirley Fazenbaker, bridegroom; Ronald Poland, old man; Patsy Kelly, old woman; Joanna McKenzie, farmer; Robert Walker, farmer's wife; Donald McCombs, male character; Anna Grant, female; Melvin Moorehead, clown; James Parker, ghost; Frances Tro-jetti, gypsy.

The judges were Paul E. Bowman and Fred A. Garcia.

Students Hold
Mummer Parade

MIDLAND — Midland Elementary School students held a Halloween parade Friday afternoon at 1:30 at the school, with prizes donated by local businessmen.

Prize-winners were Debbie Harbel, prettiest costume; James Spiker, Leona Fazenbaker and Beverly Clark, most original; Melva Cuthbertson, smallest; Jane and Colleen Brodie and Darlene Green, trio; Ronald Fleigle, tallest; Dennis Hamilton, fattest.

Doris Buckingham and Colleen Thorpe, best book characters; Richard Rennie, tramp; Rodney Johnson, John Blair and John Yantz, animals.

Judges were Thomas H. Taylor, Mrs. Edward Smith, and Mrs. Richard Elliott, Midland Firemen assisted at the parade.

After the parade, parties and other events were held in the various home rooms, with prizes awarded as follows:

First Grade—Barbara Cadwallader, Jo Retha Jones, Sonja Robertson, and Donna Davis.

Second Grade—Margaret Tipton, Eleanor Beeman and Gloria Buskirk.

Third Grade—Roger Steel, Jimmie Green and David Dunn.

Fourth Grade — Joyce Wilson, Doris Ann Brodie, Paye Sacco and Sandra McKinley.

Fifth Grade—Phyllis Harclerode, Judy Plummer and Gary Harbel.

Sixth Grade — David Morgan, Donald Fleigle and Brenda Jones.

Lions Mark Halloween — The Hyndman Lions Club entertained with a Ladies Halloween night in the Evangelical U. B. Social Room Thursday. A turkey dinner was served to approximately 60 members and guests and decorations and favors were in keeping with the season.

A musical program was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cave. Mr. Cave played two violin solos and Mrs. Cave played a piano solo. Mr. Cave is the new music instructor and band director of the Hyndman schools.

Harry T. Ritchey, local postmaster, spoke on the recent changes made in the hours which the post-office will be open. Robert Miller gave a short talk concerning the plans for Hyndman's new Community Center.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pick, of Hyndman, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Femi and daughter, Rosalea, of Ellerslie.

Miss Femi was presented a brief case from the club by C. P. Gaster, president, in appreciation for the number of times she has sung for Lions Club activities.

Frostburg Personals — Miss Rita Hughes, Midland, has returned from Detroit after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Francis Leake and William Leake.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seib and family have moved from Ocean to Vale Summit.

Leroy LaRue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Plummer, who is serving with the Army in Japan, has been promoted to private first class.

Mrs. Mary Jane Rank, East College Avenue, has returned from a week's vacation in Washington.

Manley Broadwater, Big Savage Mountain, was treated at Miners Hospital Wednesday for a badly lacerated right thumb, suffered while at work.

Paul Chermock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin H. Chermock, Centennial Street, was discharged from Miners Hospital Wednesday. He was injured when struck by a car last week.

Keyser Personals — Recent admissions to Potomac Valley Hospital are: Gail M. Close, Elk Garden; Mrs. Grace Yost, Mrs. Myra Crowe and Mrs. Sarah Staggers, all of Keyser.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Bolyard have returned to their home in Cleveland, after attending the Potomac State School Homecoming last week, where both graduated, and after visiting Mrs. Bolyard's father, J. H. Tetterburn, 160 W. Piedmont Street.

Welfare Club Plans Thanksgiving Dance — WESTERNPORT — Final plans for the annual Thanksgiving charity dance will be made at the monthly meeting of the Social Welfare Club, Thursday evening in the firemen's room of the second floor of the Potomac Club.

The dance will be held at Bruce High School and Mrs. Catherine Richards and Mrs. Margaret Daniels are co-chairmen of arrangements.

A speaker and three movies on health problems will be provided at the meeting. Plans for it are being made by Miss Margaret Nuemann, county health nurse.

Baker Demonstrates Safety Equipment — LUKE — A demonstration on the use of self-contained breathing apparatus and other types of gas masks was given by F. D. Baker, Fairmont, W. Va., representative of the United States Bureau of Mines to the Luke Fire Company, recently.

Baker will give a three-hour course in gas masks and rescue work for members of Luke Fire Company and to members of all fire companies at the Devon Club here Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon.

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Beautiful Shiny Black Finish

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'39 Dodge 1/2 Ton Panel

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'47 Dodge Custom 4 Dr. R & H

'41 Buick Special 4 Dr. R & H

'41 Chevrolet 1 1/2 T. Dump \$500

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'35 Ford pick-up

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48 Ford Sedan

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13—Coal For Sale

47—Real Estate For Sale

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46 Chev. C. Cpe. Perfect 1095
46 Jeep 4 Wh. Dr. Good 650
41 Ford Cl. Cpe. — R&H 695
41 Chev. Cl. Cpe. — R&H 695
41 Chev. Pickup—Good 550
40 Plym. 4 Dr. One Owner 495
39 Plymouth 2 Dr. — Good 450
39 Chev. 2 Dr. Heater O.K. 495
38 Buick Spec. Like New 595
37 Chev. Std.—Very Good 395
37 Ford 2 Dr. — Original 295
36 Chev. Std. 2 Dr. — Good 195
36 INT Pickup — Runs Good 195
36 Dodge 4 Dr. Runs Right 175
35 Ford 2 Dr. New Motor 125
33 Plym. 2 Dr. Runs Fine 95
A Good Model A 125
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You'll have no winter
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and check your car's elec-
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Heater
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1939 Plymouth Special Deluxe
Sedan, Radio & Heater
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County Commissioners of Allegany County,
Maryland, until the 15th day of
November, 1949, at 10:30 A. M., by its Clerk,
the undersigned, whose address is the Court
House, Cumberland, Maryland. Plans and
specifications for the remodeling and alteration of
Room No. 5, first floor, County Office Building,
111 Union Street, Cumberland, Maryland, will be
available to the public, for inspection, at the
County Office Building, Cumberland, Maryland,
from 9:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M., on the days of
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City's Mimmers March Tonight In Huge Parade

Streets Decorated For Halloween Event

Corn, corn shocks and artificial pumpkins deck Baltimore Street this morning as everything but the weather seemed to be ready for the 40 and 8 Society's Mimmers Parade tonight.

Street Department employees worked from 7 a.m. until approximately noon yesterday trimming telephone poles with the Halloween decorations, according to Commissioner Edgar H. Reynolds, parade chairman.

Although rain has taken a little of the sheen from the trimmings, the weatherman promises a clear, cool sky for tonight.

Sixty units in 17 divisions are scheduled to assemble at Fifth Street at 7:15 p.m. and to start at 8 p.m. The marchers will reach Baltimore Street about 8:30 p.m.

Route Is Set

The parade route is as follows: Fifth Avenue, Virginia Avenue, Maryland Avenue, Williams Street, Park Street, Baltimore Street, North Centre Street, Market Street, North Centre Street, Baltimore Street, South Liberty Street, Harrison Street to the disbanding point at the State Armory on South Centre Street.

John R. Kelly will be in charge of the reviewing stand at City Hall. Judges of floats and mimmers will be stationed along the parade route.

Winning mimmers will receive their awards at the 40 and 8 Chateau, 113 Harrison Street, immediately following the parade.

Fred A. Puderbaugh will make awards to musical organizations at the State Armory.

Winners in the float competition will receive their prizes, totaling \$250, by check the day after the festivities.

Streets Roped Off

As soon as the parade is over, Reynolds said, Baltimore Street will be roped off from Mechanic to George Streets for street dancing to loud-speaker music.

Centre Street from Union to Frederick Streets will also be closed to traffic during the dancing which is expected to last all evening, Reynolds added.

The loudspeakers for dance music will be placed at Baltimore and Centre Streets. They will also be used by Nelson W. Russler to announce the names of units as they pass in the parade.

After the parade passes Virginia Avenue, that street will be roped off between First and Fifth Streets for a festival for South End residents.

Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, will hold open house at their Harrison Street home with a dance featuring music by the Starlighters.

Cumberland's stores will be open until 9 p.m.

Forms In Sections

The parade will form in four sections at 7:15 p.m.

The first section will assemble on Fifth Street facing Virginia Avenue. Edgar Reynolds will be in charge assisted by S. Sgt. Clarence Biehler, Lester Clark, Basher Cross, Adolph Glog, Wesley Abrams and Casper Taylor.

Paul Weisenmiller will be in charge of units assembling on Grand Avenue facing Fifth Street. His aides will be William Coble, Jack Devlin, Joe Reissig, Earl Smith, James Jenkins and John Schumaker.

The third section, assembling on Arch Street facing Fifth Street, will be in charge of Samuel Graham. His assistants will be William Rankin, Edward Nolan, Eddie Ryder, Lawson Creighton, Earl Smith and J. Patrick Farrell.

The fourth section will meet on Laing Avenue facing Virginia Avenue. Galen Storer will be officer in charge assisted by James Scarpelli and James Weber, Jr.

Trucks, floats and other vehicles will leave the parade at Mechanic and Baltimore Streets, Heyl Walker is in charge of these arrangements.

Boy Escapes Injury When Hit By Car

A 4-year-old local boy escaped injury early Saturday night when he ran against the side of a car on North George Street, according to an accident report filed by the driver of the car.

The driver, Lewis V. Maxey, 27, Route 3, a furloughed Celanese worker, said the lad, George McCray, of the George Street Lunch, suffered shock but no known injuries.

Maxey said he was leaving the alley when the child ran from behind the corner of the lunchroom and against the right rear fender of the car. He said no injuries were discovered in an examination at Allegheny Hospital.

Stork Arrivals

Memorial Hospital announced the following births yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Lapp, 19, Ridgeway Terrace, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Shaffer, Box 269, Oakland, a son Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kennell, Hyndman, Pa., twin daughter and son, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus L. Digges, Route 1, this city, a daughter Saturday.

Allegheny Hospital announced the following births yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Witt, Route 8, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Cook, Jr., Mt. Savage, a daughter Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, Rawlins, a daughter Friday.

Check Discloses No Club Violations

No violations were discovered in a check of three clubs here Saturday night, officials of the Cumberland Police Department reported yesterday.

Checked were the home of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion; Henry Hart Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Young Men's Republican Club.

Detective Ernest M. Powell and Officer Charles Cabbage conducted the investigation.

Holy Name Men Told Peace Must Come From God

Rallies Held Here And In Frostburg

God is the king of all men and he alone can bring peace to the world, Rev. Regis Larkin, assistant pastor of St. Michael's Church, Frostburg, declared yesterday at a devotional rally of members of the Holy Name Societies of Cumberland in St. Patrick's Church.

Father Larkin was the principal speaker at the service attended by members of St. Patrick's, St. Mary's and SS. Peter and Paul's parishes here to mark the Feast of Christ the King.

The world, he explained, is seeking peace but groups searching for that ideal are divided in their methods. One group, he explained, believes that strife results from political and social evils and that removing the evils will bring peace. The second group, he declared, believes we must find the solution in God and through Christ who came on earth to bring peace.

Rev. J. Lawrence Kilkenny, pastor, officiated at the devotions.

Rev. Lawrence P. Kilgannon, pastor of St. Mary's Church and spiritual director of the Western Maryland section of the Holy Name Society, was the celebrant of the solemn Benediction. Rev. Ernest Montgomery, O. F. M. Cap., of SS. Peter and Paul's, was deacon, and Father Larkin, sub-deacon.

Similar devotions were held in St. Michael's, Frostburg, for members of St. Peter's, Westernport; St. Mary's, Lonaconing; St. Joseph's, Midland; St. Patrick's, Mt. Savage; St. Peter's, Oakland, and St. Ann's, Avilton.

Rev. John Lyness, St. Patrick's, Cumberland, delivered the sermon while Rev. Francis E. Montgomery, St. Michael's, led devotions.

Rev. Charles W. Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Lonaconing, was celebrant of the solemn Benediction; Rev. Charles Quinn, St. Peter's, Westernport, sub-deacon, and Rev. William McVeigh, St. Joseph's, Midland, sub-deacon.

Fuller Attends Homecoming Game

Clifton E. Fuller, former city finance commissioner attended the University of Maryland homecoming game Saturday and saw his team defeat North Carolina State.

Fuller is the first man to play quarter back for Maryland, and starred on the team in 1892. Yesterday's Baltimore Sun carried a photo of him at the homecoming game, being greeted by two cheerleaders, Miss Irene Birely, Baltimore, and Miss Barbara Ward, Bethesda.

Six Deeds Filed For Record Here

Six property transfers recorded at the office of the clerk of court Saturday show real estate transactions totaling \$30,200.

The following deeds were filed: Clyde S. and Catherine E. Slider to St. Mark's Evangelical and Reformed Church, property on Ridgewood Avenue, Johnson Heights, for \$15,250.

Daniel Hunter and Emma Louise Broadwater to Harry S. and Sarah Fazenbaker, \$5,500 for a property on Spruce Street, Westernport.

Robert B. and Phyllis D. Dixon to George L. and Virginia R. Sell, property on Light Street, Bowman's Addition, for \$3,000.

West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company to Julius A. and Emma T. d'Algoia, Fairview Street, Luke property, for \$3,000.

Raymond S. and Mary E. Largent to Melvin R. and Beulah R. Lewis, property at Oldtown, \$1,450.

West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company to Manuel S. and Rosalia A. Garcia, property on Fairview Street, Luke, \$2,000.

It's Halloween

Eugene Kenney appears a little puzzled as to who's who among the Apples and the pumpkins as he surveys part of the Halloween decorations at Pennsylvania Avenue School. Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Kenney, 457 Braddock Way, and a seventh-grade student at Fort Hill High School, was attending a Cubber's Course at the school when he saw the display. A Boy Scout, he is also den chief of a Cub pack.



Phone Hearings Start Today

The Maryland Public Service Commission will start hearing arguments today from opponents of increased telephone rates in the state.

The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore has asked about \$6,000,000 worth of permanent increases for its customers.

The utility's present rates are based on a \$4,000,000 temporary increase allowed by the PSC last spring. The temporary increases were put into effect immediately to produce more revenues for the company while the Commission heard evidence and studied its plea for permanent boosts.

If the Commission should decide against Chesapeake and Potomac, the temporary increases would be revoked and subscribers would be in line for some refunds.

Scheduled to argue against the rate raises beginning tomorrow are the State, the City of Baltimore, the People's Counsel to the PSC, and others.

The company, part of the Chesapeake and Potomac group which serves Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia as well as Maryland, contends that increased operating costs make it necessary to increase its rates.

LaSalle Men To Sponsor Scholarship

The Men of LaSalle Club yesterday voted to continue to sponsor a four-year scholarship to LaSalle High School.

Thomas B. Cumiskey, Jr., was named chairman of a committee to consider the possibilities of holding a minstrel show.

Joseph Stakem, vice president, presided at the meeting in Carroll Hall in the absence of William V. Keegan, president.

Reserve Will Mark Marine Corps Birthday

Company D, Fifth Infantry Battalion, Marine Reserve, will observe the 174th birthday of the Marine Corps with a party and dance Thursday, November 10 at the home of Henry Hart Post 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The observance, company officers said, will be unofficial. A recent ruling by the Secretary of Defense has prevented official observance of the anniversary of any service, because of the unification program.

The semi-formal dance will start at 9 p.m., and a large birthday cake will be cut by a company officer.

Capt. Patsy Algieri heads the committee on arrangements, which includes Tech. Sgt. Charles Gifford, Tech. Sgt. Gayle Northcraft, Staff Sgt. Alvin Pence and Staff Sgt. Robert Davis.

The Marine Corps was created by the Continental Congress November 10, 1775.

Witches' Fraternity Will Gather In City Tonight

BERNARD E. SITTER News Staff Writer

Local 1313, United Witches, Hobgoblins and Ghouls of America, will hold its fourth quarterly masquerade ball and business meeting at midnight tonight.

Satan, masquerading as a goat, will be master of ceremonies, and speakers will include several Salem witches.

Members of the select fraternity will furnish their own transportation, riding to the celebration on broomsticks, rakes, pokers, hogs, goats and dogs, and one novice has indicated her intention of arriving via jet plane.

Compacts between Satan and his newly-acquired allies will be sealed and signed in blood, and a social hour will follow. Demonstrations in casting spells, haunting, hexing and formal cursing will follow, and the party will break up at the crowing of the cock.

All this may sound a little far-fetched, but only a couple of centuries ago European traditions still held that the witches had their orgies four times a year, somewhat in the manner described.

Only three hundred years ago, English law defined a witch as a person who has contracted with the devil to perform some sort of magic.

Even more recently, in our own country, "witches" were being burned at the stake.

No one seems quite sure where the belief in witches started, although mention of them is found as far back as the 20th century before Christ, in the Code of Hammurabi.

Witches, or wizards (masculine) are also mentioned in the Old Testament, but legends concerning them apparently were not taken seriously until about the 14th century. Elaborate legends then sprang up about them, and some people still insist that a select few can pronounce a curse, use the "evil eye," and cause all sorts of trouble by use of the black arts.

Halloween was believed to be the last of four "Witches' Sabbaths" in the calendar year. The others were Candlemas, (February 2) Roodmas, (April 30) and Lammas (August 1).

Considerable mystery surrounds the origin of the observance of Halloween.

A public appeal for assistance in buying new uniforms for their drum and bugle corps is being conducted by Fulton Meyers Post No. 156, American Legion.

According to William F. Jones, past commander and chairman in charge of the project, 350 letters have been mailed to firms, organizations and individuals asking for assistance. Some contributions have been received, Jones said, but the post is far from its goal.

Local Sailors In Labrador Exercises

George William Reissig, electronics technician second class, USN, of 815 Shawnee Avenue, and Ernest E. Painter, seaman, 508 Bedford Street, are taking part in joint Navy-Marine Corps cold weather exercises off the coast of Labrador in the vicinity of Hamilton Inlet.

Reissig is aboard the landing ship USS 514, while Painter is serving on the general communication ship USS Mt. Olympus.

Reservists To March In Parade

Members of Company D, Marine Reserve, will meet at the Naval Armory at 6:30 p.m. today for the Halloween Mimmers Parade.

Capt. John T. Pey, commanding officer, said the parade will take the place of the regular Monday night drill. The Reservists will leave for South Cumberland at 7 p.m.

Weather

A steady, drizzling rain kept temperatures around 60 all day yesterday. The official high was 56, the low, 49, and at 10 p.m. the mercury stood at 55. The weatherman measured the rainfall and found .18 of an inch. Today is supposed to be rainy, but clearer and cooler tonight.

HOURLY DOWNTOWN TEMPERATURES			
1 a.m.	58	1 p.m.	60
2 a.m.	58	2 p.m.	60
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9 a.m.	54	9 p.m.	58
10 a.m.	56	10 p.m.	58
11 a.m.	57	11 p.m.	58
Noon	58	Midnight	58



B & O Man Killed Leaving Train

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 30 (P) —A Baltimore and Ohio Railroad passenger was killed today trying to alight from a moving train. He had slept while en route to Connelville and awoke to find the train pulling out of the station.

The victim was Galen R. Meyers, a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad engineer travelling as a non-paying passenger on his B & O pass. Meyers was returning from a Masonic meeting in Cumberland, Md.

Capt. J. T. Cook of the B & O Railroad Police said a porter on the train, Dawson Weedon, 35, Cumberland, Md., struggled to keep Meyers from jumping off the moving train but Meyers slipped and fell beneath the wheels. The porter's wrist was sprained in the struggle.

Meyers was a B & O employee 31 years and was a native of Somerset County. He was a 32nd Degree Mason and a member of Masonic Groups in Connelville, Pittsburgh, Uniontown and Derry.

Permit Granted To Move House

Chester D. Newell secured a permit in the city engineer's office yesterday to move a house at 633 Leiper Street back from the street and to construct a concrete block foundation under it.

Work will be done by Donald McGill at an estimated cost of \$800.

News Briefs

Movies on the properties of refrigeration will be shown at a meeting of the Refrigeration Service Engineers Society tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 214 Virginia Avenue.

A series of evangelistic services being conducted in First Baptist Church by Rev. Frank L. Snyder, pastor of Clarendon First Baptist Church, Arlington, Va., will end Wednesday night.

Colored Legion Renews Appeal For Help In Buying Uniforms

Jones said last night that those who will contribute should send their checks or contributions to the post in his care at 120 North Mechanic Street.

Fulton Meyers Post Drum Corps is the only Legion musical unit in the city which takes part in civic and public parades and festivities.

Jones explained that the post cannot afford to buy the badly needed uniforms.

Youth Injured Playing Football

Charles Emerick, 18, Wellersburg, Pa., was admitted to Allegheny Hospital at 4:30 p.m. yesterday after injuring his left shoulder and neck while playing football in Corriantville.

Attaches said x-rays would be taken this morning. He was reported in good condition.

Gerald Ruckman, 23, 17 Weber Street, injured his chest in a fall while coming out of church. He was treated at Allegheny.

Ivan Houdershell, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houdershell, Wiley Ford, W. Va., cut the back of his head in a fall and was treated at Memorial Hospital.

Auto Mishaps In County Total 52 For Month

Allegheny County had reported 52 automobile accidents and no fatalities last month, according to a report issued yesterday by the Traffic Collision Statistical Bureau of the State Police.

According to the report, collisions between motor vehicles were most frequent, with 14 being recorded, against three motor vehicle-pedestrian accidents and three collisions of motor vehicles with fixed objects.

Three people were injured in pedestrian accidents, while seven were hurt in collisions, and two in collisions with fixed objects.

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OES Group Plans Caravan Tomorrow

The Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association of Western Maryland will conduct a caravan tomorrow evening to the home of Oakland Lodge, Order of the Eastern Star.

Local members will board a chartered bus at 5 p.m. on North George Street. The bus will pick up other members in Frostburg, Barton, Lonaconing and Westernport.

Mrs. Pearl Hendley Richardson, Frostburg, president, and Oliver Martin, Cumberland, vice president, will be in charge of the group.

The Association visits each of the seven Western Maryland lodges once a year.

Returns To Hospital

Officer J. Carl Stouffer, 622 Hill Top Drive, who underwent an operation in Memorial Hospital a week ago for a sinus infection, was re-admitted to Memorial Hospital yesterday for further treatment. Officer Stouffer is a cruiser driver on the daylight platoon.

Barringer Improves

Charles A. Barringer, 420 Louisiana Avenue, a Times and Allegany Company printer, was reported improving last night at Memorial Hospital, where he has been a patient for several days with a virus ailment.

Soldier In School

Pvt. Charles W. Welsh, son of Mrs. Ora Elizabeth Welsh, 334 Baltimore Avenue, is a student in the medical technician procedure course at Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Jacob E. Long

Jacob E. Long, 80, Patterson's Creek, W. Va., died yesterday at 2:30 a.m. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Logsdon, Patterson's Creek.

A native of Short Gap, W. Va., he was a son of the late James H. and Mary Lippold Long. He was a member of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Patterson's Creek. His wife was the late Mrs. Annie Dohrman Long.

Mr. Long is survived by four sons, Harry H. Long, this city; Carl P. Long, Romney, W. Va.; Howard E. Long, Patterson's Creek, W. Va., and E. Jack Long, Fort Ashby; three other daughters, Mrs. Quinn Shaffer, and Mrs. Carl Anderson, both of Patterson's Creek, and Mrs. Ira Northcraft, this city; three brothers, John H. Long, Patterson's Creek; Charles H. Long, Wiley Ford, and Clayton R. Long, Fort Ashby; one sister, Mrs. Ansley Gorley, Vandergrift, Pa.; 30 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

A funeral service will be conducted tomorrow at 11 a.m. at St. Paul's Methodist Church by Rev. James A. Lotspeich, pastor. Burial will be in Fort Ashby Cemetery.

BEELER FUNERAL

A brief service for Charles Luther Beeler, about 60, Route 3, Bowman's Addition, who was found dead Wednesday near Valley Road, was held yesterday at the Kight Funeral Home. A service was also conducted at Cherry Lane, Pa., Brethren Church and burial was in Cherry Lane Cemetery.

Palbearers were Clyde Brownell, William Brownell, Roy Bennett, Walter Mills, Frank Ritchey and C. T. Dequeath.

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Alexander King Dies Suddenly At Residence

B. And O. Patrolman Has Heart Attack

Alexander Campbell King, 49, member of the Baltimore and Ohio police force for almost 12 years, was found dead early yesterday morning at his residence, 219 Canall Street.

Dr. H. V. Deming, deputy county medical examiner, said Mr. King was discovered in the kitchen of his house by a neighbor, Mrs. Sylvia Keller, and police were notified at about 4:35 a.m. Death occurred from a heart attack at about 4 a.m., Dr. Deming added.

Mr. King came to Cumberland from Brooklyn, New York, in November, 1937 when he joined the B. and O. force. He became a road patrolman in 1940 and served along the Cumberland Division. He was a member of the Railway Police Union.

Before coming here, Mr. King served as an officer for several steamship lines traveling to and from Europe. His wife was the former Miss Alice Thelma Webb.

He is survived by two brothers, Archibald E. King, New York City, and Alfred J. King, vice president of the Isthmian Steamship Company, New York City.

The body is at the George Funeral Home.

Frostburger Hurt In Crash

One person was slightly injured yesterday afternoon when the taxi in which he was riding went out of control, collided with two parked cars and then struck a telephone pole in Eckhart.

Trooper George E. Coddington, who investigated, said the accident occurred on old Route 40 at 1:45 p.m. when a Sis's taxi from Frostburg went out of control while descending a hill.

The taxi, operated by William Henry Hoti, Frostburg, struck the cars of Frank Delaney, Eckhart, and Leo Joseph Barry, Frostburg, which were parked along the road, skidded off the highway and against a telephone pole.

Archie Burton Hoti, Frostburg, an occupant of the cab, was treated in Miners Hospital for bruised fingers, State Police said.

Trooper Coddington said Hoti will be charged with reckless driving.

Deaths

MRS. JAMES L. HENDERSON Mrs. Effie C. Henderson, 72, wife of James L. Henderson, Hyndman, Pa., died last night at 10:35 o'clock in Memorial Hospital where she had been admitted October 22.

She was a daughter of the late David and Carolyn Willis Condon and was a native of Hyndman.

MRS. FLORA BELL JO